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## COOK AND PEARY

### World Excited Over Their Discovery of North Pole.

### CONTROVERSY GROWS WARM

**Fabulous Money Offered to Cook For His Book and Lectures—Commander Peary Now Homeward Bound.**

Robert E. Peary, having "nailed the Stars and Stripes to the Pole," on April 6th, 1909, as told in his series of messages flashed by wireless yesterday from the coast of Labrador, is figuratively lost to the world tonight, homewrad bound on his ship, The Roosevelt.

At Copenhagen, Denmark, royalty continues to pay homage to Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Brooklyn explorer, who announced six days ago in a manner not unsimilar to Commander Peary's that he had unfurled the flag of his country at the pole on April 21, 1908. Neither saw indications of the other's achievement; both will be in the United States before the close of the present month.

Commander Peary on the Roosevelt, according to best reckoning, was in the vicinity of the strait of Belle Isle, between New Foundland and the Province of Quebec, tonight. But it is uncertain at what port he will touch first to amplify the meagre news of yesterday. Inadequate telegraphic facilities on the Labrador coast and the northwest coast of New Foundland, may move him to decide to proceed on southward to North Sydney, Nova Scotia, before he gives to the world details of his triumph in the far north. Commander Peary had intended stopping at Chateau Bay Labrador, possibly tonight, but the telegraph station there was abandoned some time ago and the Roosevelt must push her nose further south before the world obtains the news. As she comes down the New Foundland coast, Red Bay, and further south, St. George Bay, are at hand, but whether Peary will avail himself of these points or continue to North Sydney, Cape Breton, where he will have every facility at hand, is a matter of conjecture tonight. It is 450 miles from Chateau Bay to North Sndyey and the time of his arrival can only be guessed. But the Roosevelt may reach there late tomorrow.

With her husband's plans uncertain and with no specific message to meet him, Mrs. Peary is waiting at her home at Eagle Island, Maine, in readiness to depart for North Sydney.

Herbert L. Bridgman secretary of the Peary Arctic Club left New York for North Sydney tonight. In addition to greetings from the Peary Arctic, Mr. Bridgman carried the message from the explorer's club of which the commander and Dr. Cook are both members:

"The Explorers Club sends you heartiest congratulations upon your triumphant attainment of the long sought goal—the North Pole."

Anthony Fiala, who commanded one of the Zielgler expeditions to the pole, is a member of the board of directors, sending the message.

Several additional messages filed yesterday at Indian Harbor were received by associates of Commander Peary today but none of them gave any further details of his conquest. Through Mr. Bridgman he notified all geographic societies of the world of his discovery and in addition sent a personal dispatch to the National Geo-

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### OUTLINES.

One of the most remarkable results of the controversy over the rivarly of Commander Peary, Dr. Cook, who discovered the North Pole, April 21, 1908, has been offered fabulous prices for his books and lectures; the doctor says he believed Peary reached the Pole——Secretary Hester, of the New York Cotton Exchange, reports that the South has 11,572,000 spindles and consumed 2,600,000 bales of cotton last year, North Carolina leading with an increase of 130,414 bales; the crop grown was 13,825, 000 and North Carolina grew 747,000——T. F. Schmidt, formerly a prominent wholesale grocer of New Orleans, committed suicide in New York yesterday——As the result of a petition containing 6,000 signatures, the death sentence of Dr. J. M. Elliott, of LaGrange, Ga., has been staid to October 4th——At the trial of Lieutenant Hazelhurst and Private Elam, in Atlanta, yesterday for killing Private Coulter, Elam testified that the private tried to escape arrest and that he fired according to the lieutenant's orders; the lieutenant claims he ordered him to fire in the air York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-2 to 3 1-4 per cent., ruling rate and ordered him to fire in the air.——New closing bid 2 1-2; offered at 2 1-2; spot cotton 15 points higher, closing quiet at 13 cents; flour steady, wheat easy, No. 2 red 1.04 nominal elevator; corn firm No. 2 old 78 1-2 elevator; oats firm, mixed 40 1-2 nominal; turpentine easy, rosin steady.

## INJUNCTION IS DISMISSED

**In Exhaustive Opinion, Judge Connor of United States Court, Holds State Oil Inspection is Operative—The Law.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 7.—The temporary injunction granted by United States Circuit Judge J. C. Pritchard in the case of the Red C. Oil Co., vs. the State Board of Agriculture restraining the latter from the enforcement of the illuminating oil inspection act passed by the last Legislature is dismissed by United States Judge H. G. Connor before whom the case was made returnable by Judge Pritchard.

The opinion dismissing the case at the cost of the complainants comprises 47 pages and treats every phase of the case, going exhaustively into the citation of authorities. The outcome of this decision is that the ten inspectors to inspect oils in their respective districts and oil chemists in Raleigh to analyze samples of oil gathered by the inspectors, will proceed with their work. However, it is understood there will be an appeal by the Oil Company without retaining the injunction in force. Including the opinion Judge Connor says "No valid cause is seen for enjoining the defendants from proceeding with the enforcement of the act in accordance with its provisions and rules and regulations adopted for its administration."

In treating the phase of the case in which the complainant insisted that the operation of the act would necessitate advancing the price of oil five cents per gallon entailing an expense of $500,000 on consumers in this State, Judge Connor declares the courts cannot declare a law invalid, because, in its opinion, it does not accord with sound policy or justice, that appeal for redress must be made to the lawmaking power. If the enforcement will add very largely to the cost of oil to be paid for by the consumer, this does not affect any constitutional right of the complainant. The court holds also that careful consideration shows that the act was passed in good faith and not to indirectly obtain State revenue from Inter-State Commerce and furthermore that the Legislature is recognized to have the power to delegate the Legislative power to a board such as the board of Agriculture, there being nothing to prohibit this in the Federal constitution.

### HARRIMAN IS NO WORSE.

**Reports From Arden That He Was in Critical Condition Untrue.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Arden, N. Y., Sept. 8.—After a night of uncertainty it was determined shortly after mid-night last night that E. H. Harriman is not in such a critical condition as earlier reports indicated. A party of newspaper men succeeded in reaching the Harriman house, and in talking with Dr. Lyle, who said emphatically that there was no cause for alarm and that Mr. Harriman had had no change for the worse.

A glimpse of the inside of the Harriman home seemed to bear out Dr. Lyle's statement that the financier's condition was not critical, Miss Carrol Harriman and the physician were sitting on a sofa laughing over a photograph and Mrs. Harriman could be seen in an adjoining room. All three were in evening dress and there was no sign of any other physicians about. This is the first time that any newspaper men have ever actually reached the Harriman home, as it is impossible to pass the guards on the mountainside.

No light could be seen in the windows of the bedroom supposed to be Mr. Harriman's and nothing whatever could be found to indicate that a crisis in his home was at hand.

Shortly after 10 o'clock there came a rumor that the financier had died in a sudden collapse. Where this rumor came from no one could say. It was given wide circulation before a terse denial over the telephone from Dr. Lyle set it at rest.

### AVIATOR KILLED IN FALL

**Frenchman Fell From His Aeroplane. Accident is a Mystery.**

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Juvis Sur Orge, France, Sept. 7.—E. Lefbvre, the French aviator, was killed by a fall from his aeroplane in which he was practicing over the aviation field here this afternoon. He sustained mortal injuries when the machine crashed to the ground. Aid was rendered him, but he died soon after.

The cause of the accident remains a mystery. The machine left the ground easily and flew around the aerodrome at a height of about twenty feet, making the turn gracefully. Suddenly, without apparent reason, it tilted sharply downward and propelled by the force of the motor, struck the ground with great violence. The aviator was pitched out on his head and lay unconscious amidst the wreckage of the machine. Willing hands raised him and carried him to a shed and a doctor was hastily summoned but notwithstanding his ministrations, the aviator died within a few minutes.

For rent the store now occupied by the Singer Sewing Machine Co., on Front street between Chesnut and Grace. One of the finest locations for any kind of business. Possession given Oct. 1st. Apply to I. Shrier.
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## COTTON CROP 1909

### Incredible Figures About South's Productiona nnd Consumption.

### HUGE YIELD 13,825,000 BALES

**Southern Mills Consumed 2,600,000 and North Carolina Led in the Increase—North State Grew 747,000 Bales.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Sept. 7.—Supplementing his report on the cotton crop for 1908-09 as issued on August 31, Secretary Hester, of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, today made a detailed report of the crops of the different States as follows:

Alabama 1,428,000 against 1,171,000 last year; Arkansas 1,052,000 against 787,000 last year; Florida 75,000 against 60,000; Georgia 2,118,000 against 1,964,000; Mississippi 1,673,000 against 1,496,000; Louisiana 485,000 against 673,000; North Carolina 747,000 against 689,000; South Carolina 1,298,000 against 1,226,000; Tennessee 426,000 against 335,000; Texas 3,819,000 against 2,221,000; Oklahoma 704,000 against 950,000. Total crop 13,825,000 against 11,572,000 last year.

He puts the spindles in the South at 11,255,787, including old, idle, and not complete, against 10,661,308 last year, an increase of 594,479.

Referring to the consumption by American mills, Mr. Hester says that North and South they have had a season of unparalleled activity. In no past year, he states, have they consumed so much cotton, and phenomenal as the extent of the business has been, it has not reached the limit of their capacity.

The money value of the past commercial crop, he states, is in round figures $683,794,000, showing that while the number of bales marketed was 2,243,000 bales more than last year, the increase in money received was but $11,509,000, equivalent to $5.11 per bale for the excess, and yet Mr. Hester contends that considering all the circumstances, if ever a crop was sold at a good round price, it was the one under review.

In the South, Mr. Hester makes the consumption 366,596 more than last year, and 120,765 over the year before last. Twenty-one new mills are building in the Southern States, and including additions to old establishments, 10,000 new looms and 511,294 new spindles are under way. The increase in the number of mills over last year has been eight, making a total of 841. The year's consumption has been divided as follows:

| | Consumption | Increase |
|---|---|---|
| Alabama | 251,871 | 46,261 |
| Arkansas | 6,038 | 2,190 |
| Georgia | 556,119 | 74,757 |
| Kentucky | 26,290 | 1,694 |
| Louisiana | 17,244 | 3,331 |
| Mississippi | 38,691 | 3,529 |
| Missouri | 14,826 | 6,449 |
| North Carolina | 759,295 | 130,414 |
| South Carolina | 700,352 | 75,806 |
| Tennessee | 69,211 | 9,154 |
| Texas | 42,456 | 8,675 |
| Oklahoma | 2,568 | 954 |
| Virginia | 77,921 | 3,382 |
| Total | 2,559,873 | 366,596 |

In conclusion Mr. Hester says the facts concerning this remarkable year in cotton consumption speak for themselves, but it is safe to say that had they been estimated instead of plain unvarnished truths, even extremists would have been justified in classing them as exaggerations.

"In the South," he says, "We have brushed 2,600,000 bales closely during the past year and this close on the heels of the panic with 215 out of a total of 786 active mills from one to two months late in getting under headway. Most of the new complete spindles will be in working order before the coming year's close and with these on the basis of 1904-05 consumption per spindle, the capacity of the Southern mills will be something like 2,800,000 to 2,900,000 bales."

### RAILROADS MUST REFUND

**Will Pay Southwestern Lumbermen One Million Dollars.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 7.—An order involving approximately a million dollars in reparation was issued today by the Inter-State Commerce Commission. It included claims in what is known as the Central Yellow Pine Association territory—Louisiana, Mississippi and Western Alabama—and involved a refunding of amounts paid by a large number of shippers of yellow pine lumber from the territory to points in other States on which an overcharge of two cents a hundred feet was collected by various railroads.

The settlement of the cases was made on the same basis as that effected in the yellow pine lumber cases in other territories of the South, sixty-seven per cent of the provable claims being allowed.

A Seattle, Wash., dispatch states that John F. Stevens, the engineer formerly in charge of the Panama canal construction, has been elected president of the Oregon Trunk line, the Hill railroad, to be built from the Columbia river to Central Oregon and to San Francisco.

## RAILROADS CITED

### Summoned to Appear as to Freight Rate Conditions in North Carolina.

### THE CUSTOM HOUSE HERE

**Decrees Signed by Judge Connor—Operation of National Corporation Tax—Other News Notes at State Capital.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 7.—The North Carolina Corporation Commission issued notices today to the traffic managers of the railroad companies doing business in North Carolina for them to appear before the Commission September 15th for an investigation of freight rate conditions as to the relative rates from North Carolina ports to inland points in the State as compared with rates from ports in Virginia and South Carolina to inland points in their respective States.

This proceeding is in compliance with the requirement of a joint resolution passed by the last Legislature which declared it to be the sense of the General Assembly that the cities, towns, and industries of North Carolina should have the benefit of the same relative freight rates from North Carolina ports as the inland cities, towns and industries of the States of Virginia and South Carolina from their respective ports. To this end the joint resolution directed the Corporation Commission to, proceed without unnecessary delay, to investigate fully all matters pertaining to freight rates and to put in force in this State the same relative rates as are enjoyed in this respect in Virginia and South Carolina insofar as the same may not be unfair or unjust. The resolution also directs the Commission to report to the next General Assembly all the facts and circumstances and evidence relative to or disclosed upon such investigation.

Judge Connor, of the United States Circuit and District courts, today signed decrees in the condemnation proceedings in the matter of the new Wilmington custom house. They are for the appointment of commissioners and the assessment and valuation of the land to be condemned.

Oscar Allen, a well known citizen of Raleigh, who passed away Sunday morning, is now declared by the attending physician to have been afflicted with pellagra. He had been in ill health for some time.

There is a probability that North Carolina's first electrocution of a criminal scheduled for September 10th at the State's prison, will not take place at that time owing to the fact that a part of the electric apparatus purchased has not yet arrived and may not get here in time to be installed by the date fixed for the execution of the death sentence. The prisoner is Walter Morrison, sentenced for murder from Robeson county. If it develops that the apparatus will not be ready Governor Kitchin will have to make an order postponing the electrocution.

Appeals from the Second Judicial District were called today in the Supreme Court, the district comprising Halifax, Northampton, Warren, Bertie and Hertford counties. The appeals are: Baker vs. Brown; Modlin vs. Insurance Co.; Brett vs. Bank; White vs. Lipsitz; Hoisting Engine Co. vs. Paschall; Freeman vs. Brown; Roanoke Rapids Power Co., vs. Navigation & Water Power Co.

Commmissioner of Labor and Printing, M. L. Shipman, is just back from Hendersonville where he spent several weeks. He says the mountain tourist travel this Summer has been by odds the heaviest in the Hendersonville, Asheville and Sapphire country that has ever been known.

Two more old soldiers have passed away at the Soldiers' Home. E. W. Robeson, member of Company K, 18th Regiment, aged 67, and Charley Robbins, Company K. 15th Regiment, also 67 years old. Robeson was from Moore and Robbins from Edgecombe county.

N. H. McGeachy, of Fayetteville, chief marshal for the State Fair, October 18th to 23rd, is here conferring with Secretary Joseph E. Pogue with reference to the appointment of the assistant marshals, who are to be chosen from among the representative young men of all sections of the State. It is expected that the list will be given out very soon now. The outlook for the Fair is declared to be especially promising.

Governor Kitchin has issued an order for a special term of Alamance Superior Court for trial of civil causes for one week beginning September 27. Judge Biggs is to preside.

Judge Connor, of the United States court, Eastern District, reappoints S. V. Ellis as United States commissioner at Oxford, and commissions A. W. Wicker as commissioner at Colon, Moore county, and T. L. Jones as commissioner at Henderson.

Instructions from the United States commissioner of Internal Revenue as to the preliminary steps for the collection of the tax from corporations provided for in the tariff act passed by the recent special session of Congress have been received in the office of the collector of Internal Revenue for this, the Eastern district of North Carolina, and Collector Wheeler Martin and Chief Clerk I. M. Deaton, are setting about inaugurating the necessary machinery for the work of collecting the tax in this district. The tax, it will be remembered, is only on the net earnings of the corporations and those that earn less than $5,000 are exempt. There are upwards of 3,000 corporations in the State and it is understood that Uncle Sam's agents will call on the Corporation Commission in this State for the list of corporations that will be investigated as to liability for this Federal ax. Of course, all that can be gotten from the Commission will be the names and capital as all other information the Commission has is confidential. Then the government officials will have to take up with each corporation the matter of its earnings.

## SHOT PRIVATE FOR RUNNING

**Soldier Fired on Another Who Ran to Keep From Being Arrested at Near Beer Saloon—Officer Held Responsible.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 7.—The trial of Lieutenant W. L. Hazlehurst and Private Grover B. Elam, of the 17th Infantry, U. S. A., on charges of manslaughter growing out of the killing of Private Edward W. Coulter, of Company D, 17th Infantry, on the night of August 7th, opened before the general court martial at Fort McPherson today.

The star witness of the first day's proceedings was Private Elam, who fired the shot that killed Coulter. Lieut. Hazlehurst had taken a squad to investigate a disturbance in a near beer saloon near the fort. On approaching the saloon two soldiers ran out and made for the reservation. One was captured but Coulter failed to obey a command to halt and was shot down by Private Elam, who claims to have acted under orders from the lieutenant.

"Sir, if Lieut. Hazlehurst told me to fire into the air, I didn't understand it that way," declared Elam.

Coulter was escaping from me. I didn't know whether to shoot or not, so I asked my officer. I understood him simply to reply 'yes, shoot!' On that command I fired and Coulter fell."

Elam told the court that he did not shoot with the deliberate aim of killing Coulter. He said that he would not swear that Hazlehurst did not say more than merely "Yes, shoot," but he heard nothing more.

Private Elmer N. Smith, the third member of the squad under Lieut. Hazlehurst, testified that Private Pinkston, who ran out of the saloon with Coulter, obeyed he command to halt and was left in his charge while Hazlehurst and Elam continued in pursuit of Coulter. He did not hear the order to fire. He testified that Pinkston was intoxicated.

Elam said that the shooting took place ouside the reservation. After Coulter fell Lieut. Hazlehurst said to witness, "Why, I told you to fire into the air."

The members of the court this afternoon viewed the scene of the shooting.

### TO BLOW UP TARGETS

**Atlantic Flotilla Will Take Hand at Maneuvers.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 7.—The Atlantic battleship and cruiser fleet had poor conditions today for their target work. O'Brien was still with the fleet, but she was the only battle practice target on the drill grounds.

From the navy yard today it was announced that eight new stationary target barges were being constructed for use by the fleet during the remainder of the practices and maneuvres in these waters. Some of these will be used in torpedo work by the remaining vessels of the Atlantic torpedo flotilla.

The aim will be to blow up these targets by torpedoes shot out from the torpedo boats under rought water conditions.

### PRITCHARDS ACQUITTED

**Verdict in Murder Trial at Lenoir Came as a Surprise—Trial.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 7.—Robert and Keith Pritchard, mountaineers, who, it is alleged, shot and killed W. W. Honeycutt and wounded Revenue Officer Garland in Caldwell county February 28th last, were acquitted today in Superior court at Lenoir.

Honeycutt an alleged moonshiner had been arrested by Deputies Garland and Smith in a remote mountain section and handcuffed to Garland, was being taken through the forest to Lenoir, when the Pritchards, who are brothers of Honeycutt's wife appeared on the scene and opened fire, killing Honeycutt and badly wounding Garland.

The Pritchards entered a plea of self defense, but the court eliminated this factor in the charge to the jury and suggested a verdict of first or second degree murder. The verdict was a surprise.

Contracts with the San Francisco Bridge Company for the construction of the Pearl Harbor Dock, Hawaiian at $1,760,000, and with the Maryland Steel Company of Sparrow's Point for the construction of a fleet collier at $889,000, were signed late yesterday at Washington, D. C.

## THE BLUE AND GRAY

### Reunion of Survivors of Fisher Bombardment at Utica, N. Y.

### GIVEN CORDIAL WELCOME

**Social and Official Receptions Yesterday and Last Night—Response by Mr. H. C. McQueen—Programme Today.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Utica, N. Y., Sept. 7.—Civil War veterans from all parts of the North, the Vice President of the United States and hundreds of citizens of Utica together with a large drum corps were at the Union Station this morning to welcome the survivors of the battle of Fort Fisher, most of whom came today from Wilmington, N. C., for the reunion of the Blue and the Gray.

Southern veterans are still coming in, about 60 being accounted for at a late hour tonight. This afternoon the visitors were tendered an informal reception at the Y. M. C. A., the seven daughters of the Confederacy in the party being the guests of the new Century club, a woman's organization of Utica. At this reception W. H. McLaurin, of Wilmington, responding to numerous expressions of welcome, said:

"These reunions are fraught with much good and the feeling of fraternity is spreading all over the country so that in a few years we shall see no blue and gray."

General Newton M. Curtis, who led the Union troops at Fort Fisher, was the next speaker. He said that he hoped that his friends from the South who had last year entertained the Northerners so well in Wilmington, would go home with memories only of kindly warm hearts and generous hospitality. The various other speakers all complimented the visitors on their bravery during the battle. After this meeting, members of the 117th New York Regiment enjoyed a social hour with the visitors. To see them mingle together no one would ever suspicion that they were once matched against one another in one of the biggest fights of the war.

This evening there was a public meeting of welcome at the State Armory when the Southerners were cheered by 5,000 Uticans.

Mayor Wheeler welcomed them to the city with a few well chosen words, telling them that they could have anything they wanted while here and that every person here was interested in their welfare and happiness just as much as they were in that of their own soldiers.

H. C. McQueen, of Wilmington, responded for the veterans assuring the vast audience that he and his friends had never been treated better and that he hoped this would not be the last reunion of the Blue and Gray. He was well received by the Northerners and was cheered to the echo.

The men from the South are being given a pleasant reception here. Not only are Grand Army men present from all of central and northern New York, but the city has been decorated for the occasion. Today was spent in sight-seeing and this evening a formal welcome was extended. Wednesday evening Governor Hughes and Vice President Sherman speak at a meeting to be held in the armory. In the forenoon there will be a parade in which 10,000 school children will be in line. Thursday will be given up to an excursion to Cooperstown and Oswego Lake. Several receptions and regimental reunions have been planned.

### GEORGIA CADET ONLY ASSENTED

**Stood by And Saw Other Cadets Humiliated at West Point.**

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

West Point, Ga., Sept. 7.—Cadet John H. Booker, of this city, had nothing whatever to do with the hazing of cadet Rolando Sutton but was dismissed from the West Point Military Academy for permitting, without interference, cadets of the third class to require cadets of the fourth class to get down on all fours and run a race as horses, and then auction them off. This is the information just received here in a letter from Secretary of War Dickinson to Congressman W. C. Adamson. Booker was a senior. Secretary Dickinson stated that it was likely Congress, at its next session, would call for and publish the report of the board of inquiry.

### TWO KILLED IN A WRECK.

**Occurred at Rural Retreat, Va., on N. & W. Last Night.**

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Roanoke, Va., Sept. 7.—Two men were killed and four others were seriously injured tonight in a rear-end collision between two freight trains on the Norfolk & Western Railway at Rural Retreat, Va. The dead are J. S. Moore, fireman, of Roanoke, and Charles Byrd, brakeman. A west bound freight crashed into a local ahead of it.

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## SOUTHERN PROGRESS.

The 1910 census will show marvelous progress in the South compared with the census of 1900. Those ten years of industrial development and agricultural advancement have been the most notable since 1860. There will be an astounding revelation in manufacturing progress, there will be a vast expansion in farm values and products, and a wonderful development of hydro electric power that is whirring the spindles in our factories and turning the wheels of that drive the machinery of various industrial establishments. There will be a splendid showing in railroad building, street railway developments, city building, mercantile endeavor, and commercial growth—in fact, along all lines that go to show a country of wonderful resources and great activity. There will be such an exhibition of Southern development that it should dissipate the false idea largely entertained at the North, as the result of ignorance, that Southerners are lazy and shiftless—that "hustlers" are the product of any one section of the Republic. The census figures will dispel the ignorance that assumes that the South is asleep.

Most notable in the showing to be made will be in city building and in municipal, public service, and urban improvements. Truly it will be made known that there was a world of truth in what Mayor Robert Maddox, of Atlanta, said in an address delivered before the League of American Municipalities, held at Montreal, Canada, this Summer, to-wit:

"Within the last decade, Southern cities have recorded a progress hitherto unparalleled in their history, and the national census of next year will present a glowing picture of growth from every view point, which will be surprising alike to the cities themselves and the nation at large."

Mayor Maddox is quite correct. Many of our Southern cities which were not in the 100,000 class in 1900 will go a long ways over that. They will be strikingly numerous, as a matter of fact, while villages then will show up in the young city class. As an illustration of the growth of Southern cities, Mayor Maddox named a list of them and declared that Atlanta will go from 89,000 inhabitants in 1900 to 150,000 next year. He went on to say that the South has its cotton and woolen mills, shoe factories and flour imlls. We manufacture hosiery and numerous textiles. We make the highest grades of furniture, carriages, buggies, wagons, automobiles, cotton ties, steel rails, fertilizers, brick, furnaces, boilers, engines, locomotives, cotton gins, nails, steel hoops, bar iron, car wheels, tinware, stoves, trunks, agricultural implements, etc. He declared with enthusiasm that Southern manufacturers sell their products throughout the world. We send our cloth to China, our hosiery to Japan, our sugar mills go to Cuba, and our cocoa-cola to Canada. There are just a few of the things which the 1910 census will catch North Carolina and other States doing.

This gratifying advance in the South is attributed largely to its great agricultural resources. For instance, the South's cotton crop alone, in the past seven years, according to a recent bulletin sent out from Washington, sold for a total of $4,550,610,537.

The growth of our cities, Mayor Maddox says, "is due to the influence of this golden stream, diversifying our industries and increasing our manufacturing enterprises."

The Star has heretofore contended that our Southern lands that produce cotton, tobacco, peanuts, corn and all other products are the basis of our increasing wealth, and again we predict that the investor who salts his money down in land in North Carolina and other Southern States can watch his investment steadily increase in value.

## LIEUTENANT PEARY'S ACHIEVEMENT.

The whole world is startled by the discovery of the North Pole by Dr. Frederick A. Cook, on the 21st of April, 1908, and by Commander Robert E. Peary, on the 6th of April, 1909. That two Americans should reach the Pole after the attempts of the intrepid explorers of all Nations, during a period of 300 years, is glory enough for this country.

We observe that there is already a manifest disposition to minimize the discovery of Dr. Cook and to magnify the exploit of Commander Peary. However, there should be no discrimination involving the magnificent feats of these two distinguished Americans. There is glory enough for both.

Dr. Cook is at the disadvantage because he has only two Esquimos to substantiate his discovery, whereas Peary has white explorers with his party to testify to his achievement.

Some of the Peary party have already announced that they saw no trace of Dr. Cook in the arctic, and Peary's supporters have brought the charge that Dr. Cook's conduct was inethical. The doctor had been with Peary on one of his previous expeditions and learned the way from Peary. He profited by Peary's previous plans, and slipped ahead of him and reached the Pole over a route that had been suggested by Peary. The fact is Peary talked too much and Dr. Cook was a good listener.

We do not see much in the statement that no trace of Cook was seen by the Peary expedition. Their routes may have lain many miles apart in the dessolate Arctic waste and they may have reached the Pole at different places. At least criticism and doubt of Dr. Cook's achievement should be withheld until all the facts are known. Let all the evidence come in and then let us make up our verdict.

## INQUIRY ABOUT NORTH CAROLINA.

The Raleigh News and Observer of yesterday notes that a letter has been received in Raleigh from the managing director of the Southern Commercial Congress, stating that "there is more inquiry regarding North Carolina than any other State."

The gentleman referred to is Colonel Dawe, of Montgomery, Ala., but who now makes his headquarters at Washington, D. C., where he is promoting the interests of the Southern Commercial Congress. That organization proposes to erect at the National Capital a magnificent building which shall be utilized for a permanent exposition of Southern manufactures and products. Col. Dawe is one of the South's greatest boomers, and The Star has several times commented upon his able and inspiring addresses on Southern development and opportunities. We are pleased to learn from the News and Observer that he will attend the Good Roads Congress at Asheville October 5th, 6th and 7th.

## THE PORTSMOUTH STAR.

The Portsmouth Star, one of our highly esteemed contempories, has just attained the fifteenth anniversary of its existence, in celebration of which a 24 page birthday edition was issued. The edition was a fine piece of journalism, though it was only an enlarged form of the always superior newspaper product of the Star shop. Mr. A. McKoy Griggs is the able and enterprising head of the Star and he has made it in every way a fit and loyal representative of its city. It is a splendid news medium, and its editorial page is always chipper and bright. This Star wishes that Star a long and continuous orbit in the constellation in which it is so conspicuous.

Anna R. Rogers in an article in the Atlantic Monthly, knocking the married men of this country, says: "The American masculine's claim of absorption in his work does not in the least justify such a condition. Frenchmen support their wives and still find time to go shopping with them, too." Yes, but when an American gives his wife the pocket book, or she finances in his pocket on her own hook, she don't wan't him to go along and get on to her secret of buying things.

Uncle Joe pays no attention to those who acuse him of arrogating to himself the distinction of being the whole cheese with the skippers thrown in. He gets the majority in Congress to give him the reins and he simply looks on the knockers as the disappointed and irresponsible minority.

"I lie serene" is the title of a new poem. Buddy, you might lie to a man and look serene, but if you attempt to put on any lying airs like that with a woman it will only convince her that you are only trying to insult her intelligence as well as tax her credulity. It will not work.

They have unmercifully assaulted our corn bread and now they want us to believe "coffee is worse than whiskey." Of course, the reverse of that statement would be that whiskey is better than coffee. Go on, now. We are not going to start any argument.

If he wants to do so, Walter Wellman can still stay in it with his balloon on the plea that he will try to go to the North Pole and dig up that brass tube which Dr. Cook left in the Arctic refrigerator.

The optimist is the newspaper publisher who believes he is going to get cheaper print paper under the Aldrich-Payne-Smoot tariff bill.

A woman considers that she has made a good match when she strikes it—rich.

The Lumberton Robesonian says Mr. Ellis Miller, a farmer, was the first man to pay his taxes in Robeson county. The farmer is hoeing his own roe now and it has come to pass that he is the advance agent of prosperity.

"Let the office seek the man," urges the Raleigh News and Observer. Yes, but no politician is going to let any grass grow under his feet while he can be making tracks that "office" can easily trail.

If Colorado is going to send women to Congress, Senators Tillman and Dolliver, who talk so much in the Senate, must take notice that it's going to bring on more talk.

"What part has Walter Wellman taken in the discovery of the North Pole?" inquires a contemporary. Don't you know comedy when you see the part played?

Dr. Cook, the discoverer of the North Pole, is a Democrat. This may be a good omen that hereafter Democrats are going to cut some ice.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

—If the party does get back to a Cleveland platform a large part of it will have a good deal to swallow.—Durham Herald.

—Cheer up. Move quick. Get into the game. The way to make prosperity is to think it, talk it, work it and dream it.—Baltimore Sun.

—If we were Senators Tillman and Davis, we should be pretty sure to feel that former Governor Glenn was infringing our copyright.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—The South now consumes more cotton than the North, a vast quantity of it being used down here in the form of men's all-wool suits at double the proper price.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—It is reported that a coffin box filled with half pint flasks of whiskey was shipped to a party in this county, accompanied by a negro man and woman as mourners, that the supposed corpse was put on a wagon and taken to a negro house, not far from Silver, and the next day the box was buried in a burying ground somewhere near Paxville. Whether this is a fairy tale or not we know not, but the party who told us assured us it is the truth, after extorting a promise from us not to give him away. And the incident is only mentioned to show to what extent people would go to get booze.—Manning (S. C.) Times.

—A Raleigh dispatch to the Washington Herald says: "It is estimated by physicians that 1,000 cases of the new disease, pellagra, exist in North Carolina. In every county except Onslow, it is said, the disease prevails." Who will believe a statement of that sort? Pellagra in every county save one, in North Carolina, and that county Onslow, where the principal article of food has been corn bread since the day that Onslow was settled. "It is estimated by physicians," is a statement about on a par with the well-worn expression, "It is said by prominent politicians." It is a pity there is no way of heading off these irresponsible and sensational reports sent out to the newspapers—but as long as the papers seem to want this sort of stuff, they will find plenty of correspondents willing to supply it.—Charlotte Chronicle.

## TWINKLINGS.

—Lady (in chemist's shop, to small boy)—What am I to take this medicine in, my lad? Boy—Yer mouth, ma'am.—Life.

—Madam—What do you mean by coming home at 3 in the morning? Monsieur—I sh-shure you, m'der, iss not may fault. The cafe has only just shut up.—Illustrated Bits.

—Biggs—That fellow Oliver is inclined to be somewhat contrary, isn't he? Diggs—Contrary! Say, if he had two ideas in his head they would fall out with each other.—Chicago News.

—"Every voter in this township goes to the polls." "How do you accomplish that?" "We enforce a rule that no voter who doesn't vote be allowed to do any kicking."—Pittsburg Post.

—Mr. Crimsonbeak—"I wish to gracious you'd take that bunch of hairpins out of your mouth when you're talking to me. I can't understand a single word you say. Mrs. Crimsonbeak—"There you go! You hate to see me have the least bit of pleasure."—Yonkers Statesman.

—In the British Museum a man and a girl were discussing some Egyptian coins. "Them there," said the girl, "must be three or four 'undred years old, eh, Bill?" "Three thusand, more likely," estimated her companion. "Aw, go on, Bill! Why, we're only in 1909 now!"—Buffalo Commercial.

—"Sir," began the caller, "I come to you in the interest of the city's poor children. I thought you might like to contribute to our fresh-air fund for them. "Of course," said Mr. Stinjay, the wealthy suburbanite, "you may take as much as you please from my place; but how in the world are you going to carry it?"—Catholic Times.

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Tabor, N. C., Aug. 31st, 1909.

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MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

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# IS GENIUS DEVISABLE?

By HARRIET COWLEY.

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Whoever is born with superior mental powers must pay a penalty. Such persons are not satisfied to work in a common field. They struggle for a higher one to which admittance is denied them until their fitness for it is recognized. And how many a "mute inglorious Milton" has lived and died without any such recognition while his untalented brother has won a high position! The same is often true of one who loves madly. The very intensity of his person robs him of his coolness. He frets and fumes while a rival unmoved by sentiment lays siege to the maiden and wins her by regular approaches.

When John Gregory went to college he expected to lead his fellow students as he had led his schoolmates and afterward to lead the world as he had led his university associates. The only other being he loved except himself was Bertha Avery, and he loved her far better than himself. It was Bertha who was accountable for her lover's self admiration. She recognized his superior endowments and called his attention to them. Therefore he, believing that through them he would win and hold her love, came to set great store by them.

John was graduated at the head of his class. Not only this, but he was the college literary light of his time, editor of the university magazine and winner of all the prizes given for essays. Indeed, so marked was his success as a college scribbler that he determined to enter the field of literature. He was never quite sure that Bertha loved him—indeed, she had never told him that she did—and he did not expect to make the conquest of her heart till he could lay a laurel wreath at her feet.

John entered his chosen field encouraged by all. There was no doubt that he had very superior literary faculties. He entered the editorial service of a magazine for an income, proposing to write out of office hours. He soon concluded that to win the success he coveted he must furnish something in an original vein. To swim in the great ocean of the commonplace did not please him. The first important story he wrote was a satire on certain fads of the day. He had resolved not to embarrass his employers by offering them any of his work, so he sent his satire to another magazine. It was returned with the indorsement that it was too good for the class of readers of that particular magazine.

Meanwhile as editor he was accepting stories of one Jefferson Spangler. They were not to be considered as within the realms of literature, but they seemed to please people who had little or no literary taste. Spangler was a connection of Bertha Avery's, and she had introduced him to John, asking him to help one of whose literary ability she had a poor opinion, but who was a very "amiable, deserving fellow." John published some of the young man's productions partly to favor Bertha and partly because they helped to widen the circle of the magazine. At least so thought the editor in chief and owner.

While John was experimenting with different novelties to attract the attention of the public to his work he maintained a sort of indefinite understanding with Miss Avery. He would not ask for her till he had met the coveted success. He always had something under way or finished which he hoped would make the expected hit. Bertha encouraged him to push on and he would eventually reap the reward of his perseverance. But, though many of his works were recognized by a few as scintillations of genius, only those of which he himself had an indifferent opinion found their way into print. One or two stories of marked originality were published and attracted some favorable comment, but not enough to fix the attention of the public on the writer.

Meanwhile Jefferson Spangler was plowing in the field of mediocrity. In time he published a novel which met with a moderate success. John Gregory, surprised, read it, or all of it he could force himself to read, and wondered. But what was his chagrin when the owners of the magazine with which he was connected told him that the next issue would contain a likeness and notice of the "new literary light" and that they had decided to "boom" him.

While Gregory had been trying to dash in upon the public by a brilliant stroke, humble Spangler had been slowly crawling up upon it. He possessed a homely faculty of portraying the common events entering into the lives of ordinary people. Having reached a point where capital concluded that it could make his work profitable, he had nothing more to do but wield his pen. Capital did the rest. Within a few years publishers were competing for his next novel and offering him fancy royalties for it.

The next chapter in John Gregory's life was the receipt of a letter from the girl he adored announcing her engagement to Spangler. Since John had never made a formal proposal for her hand, there was no occasion for her entering into any explanation or apology. She did say, however, that she was not to marry her ideal, but people never did that.

John Gregory is getting old and is a bachelor. He is second assistant editor of the magazine that "boomed" his rival, without prospect of ever attaining any greater prosperity. Different opinions are given as to the cause or causes of his not having succeeded, the most common of which is that "he flew too high."

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The Morning Star.

Wednesday, September 8, 1909.

### WEATHER REPORT.

**U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.**

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 8, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Tuesday, Sept. 7th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 66 degrees; 8 P. M. 74 degrees; maximum 80 degrees; minimum 65 degrees; mean 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .02; for the month, .35 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Tuesday 2 feet.

**Weather Forecast.**

For North Carolina—Unsettled weather Wednesday and Thursday with showers and light northeast to east winds.

**Port Calendar—September 8.**

Sun Rises.....5:50 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:29 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 47 min.
High water at Southport 3:15 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:15 P. M.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lumina—Souvenir Dance.
Academy—Lionel Lawrence.

**Business Locals.**

For Sale—Rabbits.
Wanted—Table Boarders.
Wanted—Unfurnished Rooms.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. Mamie V. Jones has returned from a visit to relatives and friends at LaGrange, N. C.

—Mr. W. C. Peterson, Jr., has returned to Wake Forest College to resume his studies.

—Mr. Carl Seitter left yesterday morning for Mt. Pleasant College, where he will take a theological course.

—Messrs. James W. and Will H. Gilbert left yesterday morning for Durham, where they will enter Trinity Park School.

—Misses Bessie Gore and Edith Pritchard have gone to Virginia to visit and the latter will later enter Roanoke College.

—Many friends of Mrs. Robert H. Cowan will learn with regret that she is ill with peritonitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital.

—Mr. W. W. Koch returned home yesterday from Newbern, where he has been on a visit. Mrs. Koch and children are spending some time there with relatives.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at the Colonial Inn were: Mrs. D. A. Daniel, Southport; A. F. Toon, Whiteville; C. A. Nesbitt, South Boston, Va., and B. H. Jernigan, Dunn.

—Mr. T. J. Baird, one of the popular conductors of the Tidewater Power Co., leaves this morning for a three weeks' vacation at his old home at Valley Crucis, Watauga County, N. C.

—Messrs. Shepard Bryant and Roderick Sidbury, of Scott's Hill, left on Monday to enter school the coming term, Mr. Bryant to Horner's School and Mr. Sidbury to Oak Ridge.

—Mr. Richard Westbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Westbrook, of Wrightsville Sound, left Monday morning for Trinity Park High School, Durham, N. C., where he will be a student during the coming year.

—Mr. John C. M. Vann, who has been the very clever and obliging clerk to the Mayor during the Summer months, left yesterday for Chapel Hill to resume his studies at the University.

—Newbern Sun of the 6th: "Mr. A. W. Colwell of Wilmington, has arrived in the city and will locate here during the cotton season, represent the Alexander Sprunt & Sons, cotton exporters at Wilmington."

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were M. B. McAulay, Clarkton; J. C. Causey, Jr., Virginia; Harry T. Patterson, U. S. Engineers, Beaufort, N. C.; Col. Geo. L. Peterson and wife, Clinton, and W B. Darrow, Rocky Mount.

—Mr. Will I. Gore, one of the popular employes of the Atlantic Coast Line, left yesterday afternoon for Lakeland, Fla., to which place he has been transferred by the company. His many friends here wish him much success in his new home.

—Mrs. W. A. Chenoweth, of Birmingham, Ala., and Mr. Chas. E. Mallett, of Etowah, N. C., are visiting in the city, guests of Mrs. Gabriel Holmes. Mr. Chenoweth has also been spending a few days here at The Orton and leaves today for his country home at Etowah.

—Mr. Thomas L. Vines returned on yesterday from Town Creek, Brunswick county, where he has been spending a few days on a visit. He stated that the crops in the section where he visited are particularly good and that according to reports from all over the county, farmers expect much more than an average yield in cotton and corn.

**Big Dance Last Night.**

Some 400 or 500 people attended the benefit concert and souvenir dance at Lumina last night and the event was immensely enjoyed by all. This is the last event of the season with the full Lumina Orchestra, five of the members leaving today for their respective homes. Lumina will, however, continue to be a gathering place for many people of the city as the usual Fall and Winter events will be given there.

**Free to all subscribers of this paper.** Every reader of this paper who has any trouble with either Stomach or Liver, can get a free sample of Rydale's Stomach Tablets or Rydale's Liver Tablets or both if needed by writing to Rydale Remedy Co., Newport News, Va. These two remedies are not cure alls, one is for stomach troubles only, the other solely for liver and bowel troubles. Guaranteed by Robt. R. Bellamy.

## SEASON AT CAROLINA BEACH

**Year Just Closed Most Successful on Record—Improvements to the Hotel—Passengers Handled Without Accident.**

The change of the steamer Wilmington to its regular Winter schedule yesterday marked the formal close of the season at popular Carolina Beach and the friends and hundreds of visitors to that pleasant retreat will be glad to know that the season just closed surpassed all others in point of number of visitors and the attractions furnished there by Capt. John W. Harper, the genial master and owner of the steamer.

The travel to the beach by actual figures was more than 35 per cent greater than 1908 and it is a high compliment to Capt. Harper and his clever staff of assistants when it is known that of all the thousands handled on his splendid steamer and entertained at the beach not a single accident, even of the most trifling nature, occurred to mar the perfect success of the season. There is no gainsaying the fact that Carolina Beach is increasing in favor among those who seek the cooling breezes of old ocean in Summer and that a trip either on an excursion of the steamer or to and from Carolina Beach is a "joy forever."

Next season a number of improvements at the beach are contemplated; in fact, Capt. Harper will begin at once remodeling the hotel there and installing a new and improved system of lighting. It was a subject of remark the past season that no resort on the Atlantic coast presented a cleaner or more sanitary appearance than did Carolina Beach and the various cottages and pavilions there. Captain Harper, in the increased patronage, may feel gratified to know that in his efforts to please the people in this and all other respects, he has made more than "good." The Winter schedule of the steamer is published elsewhere in today's paper and will be found quite convenient for travelers to and from Southport and intermediate points, where stops are made.

### LOCAL DOTS.

—First Church of Christ, Scientist, Market and 17th streets. Services tonight at 8:15. All are invited.

—The schooner James H. Hall, Captain Bennett, arrived in port yesterday from New York with cargo of salt for the D. L. Gore Co.; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

—A small fire at the residence of Capt. L. Freimuth, No. 118 North Ninth street, resulted in a damage of about $30 last night. The alarm was sent in from box 35 at 8:18 o'clock.

—Mr. L. Larkins has returned from Morristown, Tenn., where he was called several days ago by a message stating that his brother had attempted to end his life. Friends are glad to know that the wounded man is rapidly recovering.

—The Secretary of State has authorized the change of name of the Wilmington Cotton Mills to that of Bellwill Cotton Mills and the papers were forwarded to the Clerk of the Superior court here yesterday for record. The names signed to the application for a change are Hon. John D. Bellamy, president; J. W. Williamson, secretary; Thos. W. Davis, H. M. Chase, C. Van Leuven, directors.

—It developed yesterday that Will Canaday, colored, arrested Monday for vagrancy, and who is believed to have been responsible for one or more recent robberies, owes to Justice Harriss' court the amount of costs in a case against him for assault heard about a month ago. In default of the amount he will go to the roads for 30 days. The charge of vagrancy was not investigated in the Recorder's court yesterday as the officers think they will be able to connect him with one or two robberies after a little more investigation.

### CHARGED WITH VAGRANCY.

**Four White Women From Disreputable Section Arrested Last Night.**

What is believed in some quarters to be the beginning of a crusade against keepers and inmates of houses of ill repute was the arrest last night of four denizens of the underworld, who are charged with vagrancy under an act of the 1907 Legislature adopted as an amendment to the vagrancy law.

Armed with warrants Patrolman W. G. Brinkley and D. W. Coleman at 8 o'clock last night went to the house of Louise Mebane, on 12th street, between Princess and Chesnut, and arrested the keeper and Lena Williams, Bessie Deal and Frankie Gray, inmates, all of whom were carried to the office of Chief of Police N. J. Williams, where they arranged bond for their appearance before Recorder Furlong this morning. The Mebane woman gave $25 cash bond for herself and a $75 check on the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company for the other three defendants.

The law makes it compulsory upon every chief of police in the State to furnish the Recorder or other trial justice every thirty days a list of all the keepers and inmates of houses of ill repute in the city or town and it is understood that Chief Williams has furnished the Recorder with the list as required, but there appeared to be some doubt as to whose business it was to make the affidavit. The warrants upon which the women were arrested last night were sworn out by a citizen, whose name was not given.

**A Series of Services.**

An interesting series of services are being held this week at Immanuel Presbyterian church and have attracted good congregations. Pastors of the various churches are assisting Rev. J. S. Crowley, the pastor, in the meetings. Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of St. Andrews' Presbyterian church, preached an excellent sermon last night. The meeting will be in progress throughout this week and the public is invited to attend.

## BEFORE RECORDER FURLONG

**A Number of Dedenfants Given Hearing at Yesterday's Session of Court—Alleged "Blind Tiger" Convicted.**

Recorder Furlong had a large number of cases for his consideration yesterday morning. Several of the cases had been continued from last week and the other defendants had been gathered in since the last session of court Saturday morning. The business of the court was dispatched with unusual rapidity however, and only an hour and a half was required to clear the docket.

Katie Price, a colored girl, answered the charge of stealing a pocket book, the property of Mrs. Fannie Walton and containing $18 in money. It was charged that the woman picked up the pocket book on the streets and after being informed whom it belonged to refused to turn it over to the rightful owner. Witnesses testified that the woman found a pocket book on the streets, but from the evidence it was not shown who was the owner of the purse, hence the Recorder ordered the defendant discharged. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., appeared for the defendant.

James Brown, colored, was charged with vagrancy and disorderly conduct. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., appeared for the defendant in the vagrancy case, which was dismissed. When placed on trial for disorderly conduct Brown conducted his own case. One witness testified that Brown "kicked up a monstrous amount of dust" and was going it at "lively pitch." The Recorder decided to give the negro healthy employment for 30 days in aiding the good roads movement in New Hanover.

Tom Bowden, Lawrence Swinson and Joe Williams, alias Joe Herring, all colored youths, arrested several days ago on the charge of breaking into the house of Eva Davis and stealing some $25 in money, a watch and some household articles, were given a preliminary hearing. Bowden was represented by Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., who stated in course of his examination of Patrolman Lane that it was getting time the officers of New Hanover county were learning some law. It appeared that Mr. Lane had told the boys that if they admitted the theft they would be dealt with more leniently. Mr. Peschau asked that the testimony of the officer be excluded from the evidence. Mr. George Britt testified that he saw some of the stolen articles in the possession of the boys. The defendants were bound over to the September term of Superior court, bonds being fixed at $100 each.

Fred Davis, colored, was convicted of the charge of selling whiskey to Sis Baldwin, colored, and was fined $50 and costs, or a term of three months on the county roads. County Attorney Marsden Bellamy prosecuted the case.

Frank Onslow was given a term of 30 days on the county roads for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Scott Wade, colored, charged with complicity in the larceny of a trunk from John Andrews, a Greek, mention of which has been made in the Star several times, was found not guilty and was released.

James Marine, a white man, charged with stealing a pistol from Jack Watters, a young white man, who was released from custody a few days ago on a $50 bond, failed to appear and his bond was declared forfeited and a capias issued for his arrest. The case was sent up from Justice Harriss' court last week.

Henry Sharpless, colored, was found guilty of an assault with deadly weapon upon Paul Sharpless and fined $25 and costs. The case was sent up from Justice McD. Evans' court. A number of other cases of minor importance were heard.

### EXAMINATION FOR CENSUS

**For Those Who May Desire Positions in Government Bureau.**

Dunn, N. C., Sept. 6th, 1909.

I take pleasure in stating that there will be an examination held in Wilmington, N. C., on the 23rd of October, 1909, for the purpose of giving an examination to those who may desire positions in the Census Bureau during the taking of the Thirteenth Decennial Census. The approximate number of additional appointments is three thousand. The work required of these employes will be chiefly four classes:

1: Operation of card-punching and card-tabulating machines.

2: Operation of typewriters, adding machines, or combined typewriter and adding machines.

3: Manuscript tabulation and other clerical work.

4: Sub-clerical work, such as that of messengers, messenger boys, watchmen and laborers.

This is a fine opportunity for you to help some worthy friend to secure a position and I will be glad to send them, on request, blanks for making application, and a document in reference to appointments. If there is anything I can do for you or your friends along this line please do not hesitate to make your wishes known.

With esteem and high personal regards, I am.

Yours truly,
H. L. GODWIN,
Member Census Committee.

**Baraca Officers Elected.**

A well attended meeting of the Baraca Class of the First Baptist church was held last evening, at which time interesting subjects were discussed and the following officers elected for the ensuing year: W. R. Taylor, president; C. S. Lewis, first vice president; W. J. Moore, second vice president; L. C. Grant, corresponding secretary; T. P. Taylor, recording secretary; H. C. Marshall, treasurer; J. S. Ramos, press reporter; E. G. Mintz, teacher; L. W. Moore, first assistant teacher; Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., second assistant teacher.

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SOUVENIR DANCE
(LAST OF THE SEASON)

LUMINA
TOMORROW NIGHT

BENEFIT OF BOYS' BRIGADE

HANDSOME DECORATIONS PRETTY SOUVENIRS

## The Theatre

"Forgiven" a four-act romantic comedy drama with Lional Lawrence in the leading role is scheduled to appear at the New Academy of Music Friday night. The piece has been produced on a most pretentious scale and is said to be an attraction that is really worth while. Its author is an American with fresh ideas and it is said that he has supplied his offering with new timber. The story has been told in a straightforward way and has made a strong bid for first place by reason of its simplicity. Love and ambition, gentle intrigue, pathos and humor are dominating notes in an unassuming tale of ante-bellum days in the South.

Mr. Lawrence is said to be an actor of ability and well known. He will be recalled by Wilmington playgoers as having played the title role in Henry Savage's production of "The Devil" here last season. Seats will be placed on sale at the Crystal Palace tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. The scale runs to $1.00.

**Playing to Large Audiences.**

A big Tuesday's business was done yesterday at the Crystal Palace. This business, too, followed the opening day, which was the largest in both point of attendance and receipts the Palace has ever had. The present bill is thoroughly refined. The acts are new and novel and have freshness and brightness. The violin renditions of Harry Waiman have been pronounced superb. The act presented by Miss Helen Drew, the clever character comedian, are said to be both unique and humorous and gets several encores at each performance. The matinee performances at the Crystal promise to be as popular as last season. The first starts at 3:30 o'clock.

**At The Bijou Today.**

The Bijou announces two fine pictures as the bill for today. "Lochinvar" tells the romantic love story in which Sir Walter Raleigh figured. "The Tobacco Edict," a historical comedy of days in New York in 1648, is the other picture. It is said that Old Dutch New York, with its quaint houses, costumes and characters, is reproduced here with human and comic touches that will appeal to any audience.

### CONSENTED TO JUDGMENTS.

**Executions Issued Yesterday Against Firm of Goodman Bros.**

In Justice George Harriss' court yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock Messrs. Adolph and Siegfried Goodman, trading as Goodman Bros., Market street merchants, consented to three judgments, and executions were issued and served by Constable W. B. Savage. The judgments and the amounts were as follows: Schiller Bros., $136.25; D. Lowenstein, $131.50; Charles Simons Sons' & Company, $118.40. The members of the firm claimed their homestead exemption and Messrs. F. A. Bissinger, M. Rosemann and M. Bretzfelder were named as a commission to lay off the homestead. Woodus Kellum, Esq., represented the creditors and Louis Goodman, Esq., the defendants. It was stated by one of the attorneys yesterday afternoon that after the homesead was laid off there was left only about $50 worth of property for the creditors.

### ANOTHER SOUVENIR DANCE

**Bib Benefit For Boys' Brigade at Lumina Tomorrow Night.**

Still another souvenir dance will be given at Lumina before the season is over. This dance will take place tomorrow night and will be for the benefit of the Boys' Brigade, part of the proceeds going to the support of that worthy institution.

The hall will be decorated and very attractive souvenirs will be given away. This will be positively the last of the souvenir dances for this season. The affair will no doubt be well attended, especially by the friends of the Boys Brigade.

**Health and Beauty Aid**

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### LOCATE IN FAYETTEVILLE.

**Maj. Terry A. Lyon Will be Associated With H. McD. Robinson, Esq.**

Maj. Terry A. Lyon, of Elizabethtown, Bladen county, one of the leading young attorneys of this section, was in the city yesterday closing up some legal affairs preparatory to leaving on Saturday for Fayetteville, where he will be located for the practice of his profession in the future, having formed a copartnership with H. McD. Robinson, one of the leading members of the Cumberland bar. At Elizabethtown, Maj. Lyon was of the firm of Lyon & Lyon and this copartnership will probably continue to exist but Maj. Lyon will give most of his attention to his Fayetteville practice. Maj. Lyon has for several years been county attorney and chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Bladen and also secretary of the Congressional Executive Committee for this district. The two former positions he has resigned, but as he has not removed from the district he will continue as a member and secretary of the Congressional Executive Committee. His departure from Bladen is sincerely regretted by a large clientele there.

**First Creditors' Meeting.**

At the first meeting yesterday morning of the creditors of Joseph Berbary, a Syrian, formerly a merchant on Front, near Dock steetr, who was recently declared a voluntary bankrupt, Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., was named as trustee. The creditors are represented by Woodus Kellum and Arthur Cobb, Esq., and the bankrupt by Hon. John D. Bellamy. The liabilities are thought to be in the neighborhood of $9,000 and assets are placed at not exceeding $100. Berbary has been out of business for some time, but only a few days ago was adjudged a bankrupt.

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# BOARD OF AUDIT AND FINANCE

**Regular Semi-Monthly Meeting Last Night—Appropriation For Taft Entertainment—Number of Bills Approved.**

The Board of Audit and Finance of the city was in regular semi-monthly meeting at the City Hall last night, all members being in attendance except Mr. H. C. McQueen, who is out of the city. The business transacted was not of general importance.

Chief of Police Williams appeared before the Board and explained a bill of $100 in favor of Herbert McClammy, Esq., for professional services in defending an action for damages brought against the Chief of Police by one Cooley and wife several years ago for alleged false arrest. It was agreed to approve the bill, when in regular form from the Board of Aldermen to which the matter was referred.

Chairman F. W. Bonitz, of the Streets and Wharves Committee, appeared before the Board and the employment of a foreman to be in charge of the work on Dickinson street at $2.25 per day was concurred in, the bill having previously been held up as irregular.

New rules governing the machinery of approval of bills for payment by the Board of Audit and Finance as drafted by the clerk at the suggestion of the chairman were read and approved. These rules are practically the same as are now in effect but not always observed, except that bills emanating from the Fire and Police Commission are first to be approved by the Aldermanic committee under whose head they may come. Mr. Tiencken, of the Board, suggested a possible conflict of the rules with the law establishing the Commission, but the rules were adopted without regard to the suggestion.

With regard to the appropriation of $2,000 for the Taft entertainment by the Aldermen, the Board went on record that it will pay duly approved bills up to the extent of $1,000 it being understood that the Mayor will appoint the proper disbursing committee from the Board of Aldermen.

Bill for $195 in favor of Herbert McClammy, Esq., for prosecuting violations of the State Prohibition Law was ordered paid upon approval of the Mayor.

The Board declined to concur in the recommendation of the Aldermen that Section 26 of the Market ordinance be so amended as to make the rentals of the public markets for one year with the privilege of two.

Action of the Aldermen in appropriating an unexpended balance of the appropriation for four deep wells towards the sinking of a fifth was not concurred in on the ground that four in the sections of the city already provided for were sufficient.

Bonds for city contracts were accepted after approval by the City Attorney as to form and execution as follows: Tidewater Power Co., city lighting in the sum of $5,000 with C. N. Evans as surety; Orrell Livery Co., feeding and caring for city teams, in the sum of $1,000 with the United Surety Co., of Baltimore, as surety.

Appropriation of $96.25, expenses of Fire Chief Charles Schnibben to the convention of the National Association of Fire Engineers, was concurred in. The clerk, Capt. T. D. Meares reported the completion of the compilation of the city tax books and receipt for the same from the City Clerk and Treasurer was exhibited after which the Board adjourned.

## DEATH OF MR. BORDEAUX

**Occurred Suddenly at His Home in Brunswick County—Funeral.**

The death of Mr. L. D. Bordeaux, who moved from this city to Brunswick county last January, occurred yesterday morning at 8 o'clock at his home near Brunswick river, following a short illness. He had been in declining health for several weeks, but his death was unexpected and will be learned of with deep sorrow by his many friends.

Mr. Bordeaux was a Confederate veteran and served with valor during the four years of the war. He was in his 59th year and was a consistent member of the Missionary Baptist church. Surviving him are ten children, six sons and four daughters, among whom is Mr. James Bordeaux, of this city, and a score of relatives in Wilmington and Brunswick. The deceased lived in this city for ten years.

The remains will be brought here tomorrow from his home in Brunswick and conveyed to the home of his son, Mr. James Bordeaux, on South Third street, from which place the funeral will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church. The remains will be interred in Oakdale cemetery.

**First Round for 1909 Taxes.**

Sheriff S. P. Cowan announced yesterday that Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox would begin Monday, October 11, a visit to the different townships of the county for the purpose of collecting the 1909 taxes. He will be at Masonboro Monday, October 11; Stokley's store, Wrightsville Sound, October 12, from 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.; Greenville station same date from 3:30 to 7 P. M.; Shepard's store, Harnett township, October 13; Capp's store, Federal Point township, October 14; Castle Haynes, Blossom's store, October 15. It will be noted that only half a day is given to Wrightsville instead of a whole day as formerly, the other half day being given to Greenville Station, which formerly was not visited by the deputy.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Two deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Thomas H. Thomas and wife to W. D. Weathersbee and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on north side of Grace, 75 feet east of Seventh street, 37x66 feet in size; Susan E. Moore to Julien K. Taylor and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot in Carolina Heights, corner Princess and 19th streets, 58x165 feet in size.

# JURORS DRAWN YESTERDAY

**County Commissioners in Session for Brief Time Yesterday, Col. W. F. Robertson Presiding—Road Matter.**

The principal matter before the New Hanover Board of County Commissioners in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon was the drawing of jurors for the next term of Superior court, which begins September 27, and is for three weeks. Col. W. F. Robertson presided and Messrs. J. P. Montgomery and H. L. Vollers were in attendance.

A delegation of citizens living in the vicinity of Greenville Sound appeared before the board with reference to the route of the proposed macadamized Greenville Sound road to connect with the turnpike. They were represented by Thos. K. Woody, Esq., who presented their claims to the Commissioners. Several of the citizens also addressed the board. The matter was referred to the permanent roads committee, two members of which were absent from the meeting.

Jurors for the next term of Superior court were drawn as follows: First week, beginning September 27th: Jas. T. Jarrett, M. N. Johnson, E. D. Williams, J. H. Jones, W. H. Biddle, M. Rosemann, J. S. Jordan, H. E. Ortman, W. E. Bate, W. R. Hartzfield, J. B. Carney, W. H. Coleman, Allen Byrd, T. W. Briston, Charley Rogers, C. O. McNair, Oscar Pearsall, W. J. Clemmons, R. A. Stone, Joe L. Elfrink, R. J. Casteen, Wm. Gilchrist, Wilson Rogers, Jas. L. Williams, R. P. McClammy, A. E. Akins, L. Hansen, M. A. Curtis, Jr., John M. Hines, A. W. Stewart, A. H Shepard, Edward C. Craft, B. C. Rogers, H. J. McMillan, Jas. M. Stevenson, B. F. Hopkins.

Second week, October 4th: S. R. Ellis, W. M. Atkinson, Charles Craig, Edward Wright, A. M. Reinhold, C. M. Kelly, W. J. Bergen, J. H. Land, J. R. Canady, L. W. McLaurin, L. W. Baggett, W. S. Schutt, J. T. Brown, A. M. Hall, J. E. Ennett, O. M. Fillyaw, J. B. Casteen, G. R. Smith.

Third week, Oct. 11: Ben Bell, Jr., C. W. Mills, I. C. Reynolds, Ben J. Cottle, R. T. Windley, J. N. Leashie, Theo. Schrader, Jr., H. F. Wilder, J. A. Westbrook, J. F. Rulfs, Jr., J. D. Woody, H. S. Schwartz, J. C. Kendall, D. E. Bass, W. E. Merritt, C. E. Clark, T. W. Wood, W. A. McGirt.

The board will meet again this afternoon when the regular business of the month will be transacted and the tax books for 1909 will be received and turned over to the sheriff for collection

## SAW SIGN OF WRECK.

**Capt. Bennett Sighted Spar Bearing Flag Near Cape Hatteras.**

Capt. W. H. Bennett, of the schooner John W. Hall, which arrived in port yesterday, reported a very mysterious find off Bodie Island, near Cape Hatteras, which indicates the wreck of a vessel at sea. He stated that between 5 and 6 o'clock last Saturday afternoon while in the position mentioned he caught sight of a spar projecting about 15 feet above the water bearing a large white flag with the letter "E" in red in the middle.

Capt. Bennett said that soon after he saw the flag, he changed the course of his vessel and went in that direction until he got within a short distance and seeing no sign of life around proceeded without further delay.

Later on in the afternoon Capt. Bennett saw a steamer pass near the flag and also direct its course so as to determine what the object meant, but after an examination had been made this vessel also proceeded. Capt. Bennett does not understand the flag, but believes it to be part of a wreck. There is only one steamship line which has this letter, and this is the Earle, of England, and the captain thought the flag a little larger than the ones that line carries.

## SCHOONER DISABLED

**Wm. Linthicum Puts Into Southport Leaking Badly—Rough Outside.**

Leaking badly and in danger of being entirely disabled with the small crew aboard, the schooner William Linthicum, bound from Georgetown, S. C., to Baltimore, lumber laden, put into Southport yesterday for more deck hands and temporary repairs before proceeding on her voyage up the coast.

Capt. Hitchens, the master, is well known at this port. He stated that the condition of his vessel was a great surprise to him owing to the fact that she had only recently come out of dry dock in Baltimore, where she was overhauled. He came up to Wilmington yesterday to secure two more sailors and with favorable weather will clear in a few days.

The auxiliary steam schooner Francis Hyde, 739 tons, Capt. Charlson, from Savannah, Aug. 25th, to Chisholm Island, came into Southport yesterday for harbor and the captain reported a strong northeast wind and a heavy sea.

**A Huge Air Shaft.**

Mr. S. A. Schloss Monday gave out the contract for building a large air shaft at the Crystal Palace, so that this popular vaudeville theatre may be well ventilated and kept cool with fresh air. The contract calls for completion of the work by tonight, so Palace patrons may look forward to a cool, as well as warm reception. The shaft will run up from the center of the theatre and will be nine feet square and made of metal. This will give the electric fans at the theatre fine opportunity to do good work.

**Remains Interred at Wallace.**

Mr. Lawrence Rivers died at his home, 803 South Third street, Sunday morning and the funeral was held from the residence Monday, after which the remains were carried to Wallace for interment. The deceased was 52 years old and is survived by a wife. He had many friends in Wilmington who regretted to learn of his death.

# ALLEYWAYS ARE DONATED

**City Will Give Government Alleys on Site of New Custom House if It Can Legally Do So—Regular Meeting Aldermen.**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon with Mayor Walter G. MacRae presiding and Aldermen Hinton, Bonitz, Hall, West, Ellis, Stone, Yopp and Fales in attendance. Although the board was in session until nearly 7 o'clock last night no business of any special importance was transacted.

After the minutes of the five August meetings had been read and approved a motion was made and carried to rescind the action of the board at the last meeting in appropriating $100 to defray the expenses of the Mayor and one member of the Board of Aldermen to Utica, N. Y., to attend the annual reunion of the Fort Fisher survivors now being held there. The city is not represented at the reunion by either the Mayor or a member of the aldermanic body, hence the former action was rescinded.

The special committee, composed of Messrs. Hinton, Bonitz and Hall appointed at the last meeting to confer with the George Davis monument committee, reported that the ladies had been given permission to erect the monument at corner of Third and Market streets, which, in the opinion of the members of the committee, is the logical place for it. The action of the committee was entirely acceptable to the board.

Alderman Bonitz stated, under the head of reports, that it became necessary last week for him to employ a street foreman on Dickinson and that payment for the work was held up by the Board of Audit and Finance. He did not wish the Aldermen to take any action as he said that he would appear before the Board of Audit and Finance last night and explain the matter.

Alderman Ellis reported progress on the work of repairing the Jacob Run sewer. He also stated that he had overdrawn by a few dollars the amount allowed his department by the Board of Audit and Finance but as the amount was small he thought the board would pay it. He also called attention of the board to a communication from Coast Line officials regarding the washing of the street in front of their office building. Mr. Ellis said that he had done the work himself on one occasion with Coast Line employes, but he thought that it was the duty of the city to do it. The matter was referred to the chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee, who promised to do the best he could with his limited force.

Alderman Stone reported that only a small per cent. of the lights, gas and electric, were out of commission during the month of August.

Alderman Fales moved that the ordinance requiring that all country meat be carried to Front street market for inspection be amended so as not to be effective until Nov. 1st instead of October 1st. The Aldermen seemed to be in favor of the motion, but the matter of renting the market stalls was brought up in that connection and the motion was overlooked in the discussion. On motion of Alderman Hinton the board decided that the market stalls would be rented this year for a year with privilege of renting to the same party for two years at the same price. It was explained that some of the renters desired to improve their stalls and wanted some assurance from the board that they could keep their places longer than one year before going to the expense of making improvements. The stalls are to be advertised for ten days, beginning September 10th, and will be rented on the 20th inst.

The Champion Compress Company asked permission to erect a platform on their property on Nutt street. The matter was referred to the Streets and Wharves committee. A communication from Dr. Wm. J. Love to the effect that his property on Fourth and Chesnut streets was overflowed by water was referred to the Streets and Wharves committee.

The most interesting matter acted upon by the board was the passage of a resolution donating to the government the alleyways on the property of the proposed site of the new Custom House provided it can be done legally. The opinion of the City Attorney will be sought before the deed is drawn. The action was taken at this time at the instance of Collector B. F. Keith, who sent to the board a communication urging the importance of some immediate disposition of the matter.

A large number of first ward citizens petitioned the board to sink the deep well for the first ward at Third and Brunswick streets instead of at Fifth and Brunswick as the contract calls for. Mr. J. M. Woolard spoke heartily in favor of a change in the location of the well. Alderman West spoke against a change. Alderman Ellis disliked to oppose an Alderman, but he had to in this instance in face of the strong petition presented. Alderman Yopp was in favor of sinking the well at the place the contract calls for. At this juncture Alderman Hinton informed the Aldermen that the contract for the work had been let and no change in the location could be made now. This ended the matter. Alderman West then moved that the unused portion of the $600 appropriation made some time ago for sinking wells be used in sinking another one in the first ward, the location to be decided later. The motion prevailed.

The Mayor brought up the matter of policing the city on Taft Day—November 9th—and wanted to know from the board whether or not it desired the chief of police to have absolute authority on that day. The Mayor did not favor the idea of turning the city over to a crowd of marshals composed of citizens who have probably never seen a day of police duty. He said that experienced and capable men were needed on such an occasion and that it was due the Chief Executive of the nation that every precaution possible be taken for his safety. It was the idea of the Mayor, if agreeable to the board, to invite a number of policemen from other North Carolina cities to come to Wilmington on that day and assist the local officers in preserving order. Upon motion the Mayor was authorized to invite as many officers as he thought the occasion demanded and all will be under the supervision of Chief of Police Williams.

On motion of Alderman West it was ordered that a light be put up at corner of 12th and Chesnut streets.

## HIS LIFE CRUSHED OUT

**Large Tree Fell on Colored Man Killing Him Almost Instantly.**

Perry Robinson, a colored man, met a fearful and untimely death yesterday afternoon, when he was caught under a large tree, while cutting timber on the place of United States Deputy Marshal C. O. Knox, about six miles from the city on the Federal Point road, where the former was employed with a number of other hands.

The unfortunate man was caught in the fall of a tree which had already been cut and lodged between two other trees. When the accident happened he was working within a few feet of where the other tree was hanging and was unable to get out of the way. His body was badly crushed, his back broken and death was almost instantaneous.

Soon after the accident Coroner C. D. Bell was summoned and went to the place and made arrangements for the burial of the body. The victim was tightly wedged under the tree and it was with difficulty that the body was removed. Robinson had been working there for some time. He was 47 years old and unmarried.

## FOR FINISHING AUTOMOBILES

**Mr. J. O. Brown, Well Known Carriage Builder, Equipping for Work.**

Mr. J. O. Brown, proprietor of the well known carriage shops at No. 13 North Third street, is just now especially equipping his establishment for the finest class of automobile repainting and refinishing and in a short time will be well able to take care of all work in this line for which he will cater especially. In his shops he is having built an especially designed dust-proof paint and finishing room and this will be equipped with all the appliances for refinishing and repainting all classes of automobiles and other vehicles of superior build. This room will be made absolutely dust proof by means of ceiling and papering and the paint and finishing room will be in charge of a first class carriage painter who has had special experience in this work. Already Mr. Brown has several of the finest cars in the city in his finishing rooms but when the new department is added he will have facilities for doing this work second to none in the State. The work is now in progress and will be completed within a few days.

## LOCALS WON AND LOST.

**Wilmington Team Played Doubleheader at Newbern Monday.**

An aggregation from Wilmington known as the Colonials, played two games of baseball with the Tabernacle Baraca Class at Newbern Monday, losing in the first contest and winning in the last. The games were both interesting and were witnessed by about 200 people. The baseball team went with the excursionists, a crowd of whom spent the day in that city.

The first game was played at 4 o'clock and was won by Newbern by a score of 10 to 6; the last in which five innings were played by agreement was won by Wilmington, the score being 3 to 2. The batteries were: Wilmington, Riggins and Carr, Barnes and Motte; Newbern, Holden and Hardison, Hardwick and Hardison.

## CHINESE SEAMAN ARRESTED.

**Master of Vessel Feared He Would Attempt to Desert.**

Upon application of Acting British Vice Consul W. H. Sprunt, of this city, United States Commissioner George Harriss yesterday had a Chinese seaman named Manchai, of the British steamer Gretavale, which arrived in port Monday, arrested and lodged in the county jail, pending the sailing of the ship, when the seaman will be delivered on board. The Chinaman deserted the vessel at Norfolk and the master had reason to believe that he would attempt to escape here. The Chinaman was taken into custody under authority of Section 5280 of the United States revised statutes with reference to the arrest and detention of seamen on foreign vessels.

## MR. SCHERER'S DEPARTURE.

**Clarendon Lodge Passed Resolution of Regret Last Night.**

Clarendon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at the meeting last night passed resolutions of regret at the departure of their chancellor commander, Mr. G. C. Scherer, who has recently been appointed to the chief clerkship in the United States Government office at Montgomery, Ala.

Mr. Scherer has long been a highly esteemed member of the lodge and has a host of friends in Wilmington. He will leave Saturday for his new home accompanied by Mrs. Scherer and his sister, Miss Ruth Scherer.

**Mr. Edward Pollock Dead.**

After an illness of some time Mr. Edward Pollock, a well known citizen passed away yesterday morning at his residence, 703 Dawson street. The deceased was 50 odd years old and is survived by his wife. The funeral services were held from the late residence at 3:30 o'clock yesterday, conducted by Elder Thomas Green. The remains were carried to Middle Sound, where the interment took place in the family burying round.

**A Hurry Up Call.**

Quick! Mr. Druggist—Quick!—A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a quarter—For the love of Moses, hurry! Baby's burned himself terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—Mamie's scalded—Pa can't walk from piles—Billie has boils—and my corns ache. She got it and soon cured all the family. It's the greatest healer on earth. Sold by R. R. Bellamy.


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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—The King's Mountain monument will be unveiled October 7. The Southern roads will put on cheap rates for the occasion.

—Lebanon Correspondent Whiteville News-Reporter: While surveying land for the Whiteville Lumber Co., the other day, one of the chain bearers dragged his chain across a 35-gallon barrel of booze some moonshiner had hid in the bushes. The men inserted a spool in the barrel and drank all they then wanted. Returning three hours later, they found the owner had carried the barrel away.

—Raleigh News and Observer: The Richmond Times-Dispatch tells of a romantic "hospital marriage" that took place in that city a few days ago. Mr. Robert W. Herbert, brother of our townsman, Mr. W. M. Herbert, figured as bridegroom and Miss Fanny B. Winn is the bride. For some time prior to her illness Mr. Herbert had been an active suitor. Miss Winn decided to go to the hospital, Mr. Herbert calling to see her at frequent intervals. When the doctors informed Mr. Herbert that an operation was necessary he insisted that the marriage should take place immediately. The service was solemnized and later the delicate operation took place. Mr. Herbert is said to have successfully withstood the surgeon's knife and is now on the road to recovery.

—Durham, Sept. 6.—The officers have been looking for the negro who assaulted old man Dock Williams, another negro, Friday of last week at Morrisville. Old man Dock was moneyless and walking back home when he met the young nigger. The two became chummy and counted the cross ties agreeably to each other. Finally the strange negro said: "D—n you, hands up." Old man Williams began to laugh and the young negro drew a pistol, fired at him and clipped off a piece of his nose. The old fellow ran then and stopping at Morisville, had his nose dressed. He says the scoundrel who assaulted him did it without any earthly excuse, that he and the highwayman had never seen each other before. He couldn't give good enough description of the robber to help the policemen.

—Salisbury Post: With the sale of the eggs he brought to Salisbury this morning Mr. Levy Shoe, one of Rowan's good farmers, has disposed of 455 dozen eggs, all from his own poultry, since the first of the year. In addition to this must be added the home supply which would average several dozen weekly. "What is more," said Mr. Shoe this morning, 'my layers are all self supporting apart from what I get for the eggs. I found that over-feeding made the hens sluggish and decided to let them try, except in very severe weather, to make for themselves. They have been doing it. They run at large, are in good condition, and lay when other hens that are fed regularly and bountifully are showing no eggs." Mr. Shoe's theory may be old but it is new to this office and accordingly recorded.

—State Superintendent Joyner has issued the following statement to the county superintendents and eachers of the State: "I heartily commmend to county superintendents and teachers the plan to raise funds to erect an Educational Cottage at the Jackson Training School by securing 10,000 subscribers to 'The Uplift.' Every subscriber will get value received in the excellent paper. Every county superintendent and every teacher ought to be richly compensated for time ad effort spent in securing subscribers by the happy consciousness of having helped a worthy cause and having aided a noble institution in opening a new door of hope and opportunity to many children of present and future generations. 'The Uplift' is a monthly magazine published by the Board of Trustees of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training and Industrial School, near Concord, and edited by the chairman of the board, Mr. J. P. Cook. While it is devoted to the interests of the school it discusses questions of uplift for all boys, but is an adult's magazine. There is a marked progress in this issue over all previous numbers. It contains articles by some of the best writers in the State who write on questions of great import. An appeal is contained in the September number for funds for a chapel, to cost $5,000, and a school house, to cost $7,000.

—Asheville Citizen: The passenger traffic department of the division of the Southern railway has been rushed during the past few days in accommodating the crowds who have been returning to their homes at the expiration of the mountain excursions and also in making their reports of the traffic during the past month. With the aid of several additional agents the men have been able to make out a preliminary report. Judging from the part of the report already completed the business of the department in Asheville has surpassed all records for the month of August. The number of extra trains during the month coming into the city and going out of the city has been greater than at any time in the city's history. The number of exra Pullmans run on the regular trains has also been far in excess of the usual number added during August in any preceding years. At the same time the files of tickets now in the office of the district passenger agent show that the long distance travel to Asheville has been greater, which is convincing proof of the publicity of this city as a resort. During the past week alone more than 25 Pullmans have been added to trains to accommodate the crowds. Several extra trains have been put on during the past seven days for Jacksonville and New Orleans as well as other Southern points.

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Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician, said, "Watch your kidneys. When they are affected, life is in danger." Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, corrects urinary irregularities, and tones up the whole system.—Robert R. Bellamy.

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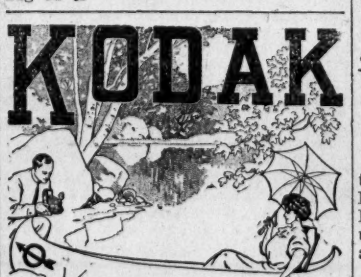

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TO THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect September 1, 1909.

WEEK DAYS.

| Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound | Leave The Beach West Bound |
|---|---|
| 9:30 A. M. | 6:10 A. M. |
| | 7:15 A. M. |
| and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. | and every half hour thereafter until |
| | 11:45 P. M. |
| 12:00 P. M. | |

Freight.

Leave 9th and Orange streets 6:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., and 4:00 P. M.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 A. M. and from 9:00 to 10:00 A. M.; and from 2:00 to 4:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

| Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound. | Leave The Beach West Bound |
|---|---|
| 7:00 A. M. | 7:15 A. M. |
| 8:30 A. M. | 7:45 A. M. |
| | 9:15 A. M. |
| and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P M | and every half hour thereafter until |
| | 11:45 P. M. |
| 12:00 P. M. | |

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S. S. "Navahoe"...Saturday, Sept. 4th

S. S. "Carib".....Saturday, Sept. 11th

Wilmington to Georgetown.

S. S. "Navahoe"...Monday, Aug. 30th

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Steamer "Wilmington,"

In effect on and after Tuesday, September 7th, 1909:

Leave Wilmington.....9:30 A. M.

Leave Southport.....2:30 P. M.

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# Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect July 11, 1909.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

| | No. 48. | No. 42. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington ... | 9:00 am | 7:00 pm |
| Ar. Goldsboro ..... | 12:05 pm | 9:55 pm |
| Ar. Wilson ..... | 1:00 pm | 10:52 pm |
| Ar. Rocky Mount.... | 1:35 pm | 11:30 pm |
| Ar. Weldon ..... | 4:55 pm | 2:47 am |
| Ar. Norfolk ..... | 5:55 pm | |
| Ar Petersburg .... | 7:05 pm | 4:25 am |
| Ar. Richmond ..... | 8:00 pm | 5:10 am |
| Ar. Washington .... | 11:50 pm | 8:40 am |
| Ar. Baltimore ..... | 1:15 am | 10:02 am |
| Ar. Philadelphia .... | 3:45 am | 12:23 pm |
| Ar. New York..... | 6:30 am | 2:45 pm |

SOUTHBOUND.

| | No. 41. | No. 43. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. New York..... | 9:25 am | 9:25 pm |
| Ar. Philadelphia .... | 11:37 am | 11:48 pm |
| Lv. Baltimore ..... | 2:15 pm | 2:46 am |
| Lv. Washington .... | 3:45 pm | 4:20 am |
| Lv. Norfolk ..... | | 8:25 am |
| Lv. Richmond .... | 7:10 pm | 8:15 am |
| Ar. Petersburg .... | 7:47 pm | 9:03 am |
| Ar. Weldon ..... | 9:35 pm | 11.28 am |
| Ar. Rocky Mount.. | 10:33 pm | 12:55 pm |
| Ar. Wilson .. ..... | 11:14 am | 1:56 pm |
| Ar. Goldsboro ..... | 6:30 am | 3:00 pm |
| Ar. Wilmington ..... | 9:25 am | 6:00 pm |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

| | Via Wilson | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Daily. | Daily. | Daily. |
| Lv. Wil't'n | 4:55 am | 3:10 pm | 7:00 pm |
| Ar. Flor.. | 9:05 am | 7:25 pm | 3:55 am |
| Ar. Col'bia. | 12:26 pm | 10:45 pm | |
| Ar. Chars. | 1:10 pm | 11:25 pm | 7:00 am |
| Ar. Savh . | 6:30 pm | 2:20 am | 9:20 am |
| Ar. Jk'ville | | 7;15 am | 1:50 pm |
| Ar. Tampa | | 7:00 pm | 10:30 pm |

NORTHBOUND.

| | Daily. | Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Tampa ..... | 9:00 pm | 10:30 am |
| Lv. Jacksonville .. | 8:50 am | 7:45 pm |
| Ar. Savannah .... | 12:55 pm | 11:59 pm |
| Lv. Charleston .... | 5:25 pm | 5:10 am |
| Lv. Columbia ..... | 4:30 pm | 6:00 am |
| Ar. Florence ..... | 7:15 pm | 8:55 am |
| Ar. Wilmington ... | 12:40 am | 1:35 pm |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

| | Westbound. Daily. | Eastbound Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington.. | 8:40 am | Ar 8:05 pm |
| Lv. Fayetteville... | 12:10 pm | Ar 4:45 pm |
| Ar. Sanford ..... | 1:40 pm | Lv 3:30 pm |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

| | Northbound. | Southbound. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington.. | 3:25 pm | 12:50 pm |
| Ar. Newbern..... | 6:50 pm | Lv 9:30 am |

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains 48 and 49 carry passengers cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.

Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

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Schedule effective May 2nd, 1909. Subject to change without notice.

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Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

| | No. 45. | No. 39. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilm't'n..... | 3:00 A.M. | 3:20 P.M. |
| Ar Lumb'ton..... | 5:30 A.M. | 5:37 P.M. |
| Ar. Maxton..... | 6:12 A.M. | 6:35 P.M. |
| Ar. Hamlet..... | 7:00 A.M. | 7:30 P.M. |
| Lv. Hamlet ..... | 7:25 A.M. | 8:15 P.M. |
| Ar. Monroe ..... | 9:25 A.M. | 10:20 P.M. |
| Ar. Charlotte.... | 10:25 A.M. | 11:20 P.M. |

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 34 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Schedule in Effect May 1st, 1909.

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|---|---|---|
| Lv. Norfolk ..... | 7:30 a.m. | 7:30 p.m. |
| Lv. Petersburg ... | 10:25 a.m. | 10:20 p.m. |
| Lv. Durham ..... | 7:00 a.m. | 6:30 p.m. |
| Lv. Lynchburg ... | 2:30 p.m. | 2:13 a.m. |
| Ar. Cincinnati .... | 7:30 a.m. | 7:20 p.m. |
| Ar. Columbus .... | 6:45 a.m. | 7:45 p.m. |
| Ar. Chicago ..... | 5:00 p.m. | 7:30 a.m. |
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# MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

### WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 6 and 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.00 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.50 for dip, and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50, $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Spirits turpentine | 35 |
| Rosin | 92 |
| Tar | 82 |
| Crude Turpentine | 84 |

Receipts, same day last year 69 casks spirits turpentine; 260 barrels rosin; 33 barrels tar; 164 barrels crude turpentine.

### COTTON MARKET.

Market—12 1-8 cents for middling. Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—3,156 bales, same day last year 93 bales.

### PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 4.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 25 and 26 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 12 1-2c; green, 9c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 65c and 70 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 25c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

### THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 7.—An excited early advance in today's cotton market was followed by a partial reaction during the afternoon but the market closed steady at a net advance of 10 to 12 points. The opening was first at an advance of 14 to 17 points and prices soon sold 18 to 20 points net higher on bullish support foreign and southern buying, and covering by shorts. Strength in the Liverpool market over the local holidays and bullish private advices regarding trade conditions abroad seemed to create an impression that the low September condition was causing foreign spinners to enter the market for forward supplies and this no doubt, was the chief factor on the advance. Trading was exceedingly active at first but became comparatively quiet after the market had reached 12.79 for December and the fact that business tapered off to such an extent without any great reduction in prices was considered indicative of a healthy technical situation and a bullish average of sentiment.

The close was some 8 or 9 points below the best. At the high point of the day December contracts sold with eight points of the high level reached early in July and nearly a cent a pound above the low figures of the August 9th. Weather conditions over the holiday's attracted little attention and the weekly report was postponed until tomorrow. Southern spot markets officially reported early were generally 1-8 to 1-4c higher with Savannah reporting sales of over 5,000 bales at an advance of 3-16. The first census report of the season giving the amount of cotton ginned to September 1st will be issued at the opening tomorrow and the New York revision committee will meet tomorrow afternoon.

Receipts at the ports today 34,151 aaginst 22,581 last week and 25,636 last year. For the week 100,000 bales against 81,832 last week and 128,823 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 553 bales against 1,107 last year and at Houston 4,946 bales against 19,135 last year.

Spot closed quiet 15 points higher. Middling uplands 13.000; middling gulf 13.25; sales 400 bales.

Futures opened firm and closed steady.

| Month. | Open. | Close. |
|---|---|---|
| September | 12.55 | 12.53 |
| October | 12.65 | 12.61 |
| November | —— | 12.62 |
| December | 12.72 | 12.70 |
| January | 12.70 | 12.66 |
| February | —— | 12.62 |
| March | 12.77 | 12.74 |
| April | —— | 12.75 |
| May | 12.83 | 12.78 |

### PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Firm, 12 5-8; net receipts 19,286; stock 56,996.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 553; stock 33,415.

Mobile—Steady, 12 7-16; net receipts 1,556; stock 5,058.

Savannah—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 9,094; stock 45,836.

Charleston—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 1,344; stock 6,522.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12 3-8; net receipts 1,566; stock 4,538.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 669; stock 5,588.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 7-8; stock 1,335.

New York—Quiet, 13.00; stock 73,632.

Boston—Quiet, 13.00.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.25; net receipts 93; stock 1,193.

Total today, at all ports, Net 34,151; stock 235,016.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 73,487; Great Britain 746; France 375; Continent 20,439.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 116,226; Great Britain 5,307; France 10,790; Continent 35,328.

### INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Steady, 12 5-8; net receipts 4,946; stock 32,630.

Augusta—Steady, 12 9-16; net receipts 2,207; stock 9,509.

Memphis—Steady, 12 9-16; net receipts 35; stock 5,198.

St. Louis—Steady, 12 1-2; stock 10,532.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 272; stock 10,924.

Louisville—Firm, 12 9-16.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12 1-8; stock 1,852.

Total today—Net receipts 7,460; gross receipts 7,460; shipments 5,449; sales 4,513; stock 70,645.

### THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Cotton: Spot cotton in fair demand, prices 5 points lower. American middling fair 7.50; good middling 7.14; middling 6.96; low middling 6.78; good ordinary 6.52; ordinary 6.27.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 11,100 American. Receipts 6,000 bales no American. Futures opened steady and closed steady. September 6.78 1-2; September and October 6.73; October and November 6.71 1-2; November and December 6.72; December and January 6.72; January and February 6.73 1-2; February and March 6.74; March and April 6.75; April and May 6.75; May and June 6.75; June and July 6.75; July and August 6.73 1-2.

### THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 7.—The dry goods market opened steady after the holiday. Cotton goods and yarns were held firm. The export markets are quiet. In mens wear the largest producers are content with the spring business booked and the jobbers are doing a steady business for Fall with merchant tailors. The jobbing trade in dry goods showed a fair measure of activity at the opening, mail orders being especially good.

### MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 7.—E. H. Harriman's illness again sent a shiver through the world's securities on the exchange today and broke a wide hole in prices in the New York stock market. The violence of the decline in prices here was much aggravated by the fact that rumors were current before the market opened that the financier had actually passed away. It was a fact that selling was not notably large even on the demoralized opening break in prices. The demand was too cautious, however, to support prices effectually even against the comparatively scanty selling.

In pointing out the number of times that reports of Mr. Harriman's danger and even of his actual death have figured in the recent stock market speculation the question was advanced whether much was left in the way of effect on prices on such an event to be provided against. It was considered certain also in view of the vast interests at stake and the sober business procedure that would be usual in such contingencies, that utmost precautions had been taken already to meet a sudden emergency, both in the administrative and financial affairs of the Harriman companies themselves and the more sensitive organization of the speculative markets.

The weak closing at the lowest prices of the day was accompanied by reiterated bulletins affirming the low vitality of Mr. Harriman and the great anxiety felt by his family and friends.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $2,924,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. The total sales of stocks today were 756,800 shares.

### FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 7.—Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. Time loans quiet and steady; sixty days 3 per cent., and ninety days 3 1-4 per cent. Six months 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-4 to 4 3-4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.85 to 4.8510 for sixty day bills and at 4.8655 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-2 to 4.84 3-4. Bar silver 51 1-2. Mexican dollars 43.

### NEW YORK BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| U. S. refunding 2s reg | 100 3-4 |
| U. S. refunding 2s cou | 100 3-4 |
| U. S. 3s reg | 101 1-2 |
| U. S. 3s cou | 101 1-2 |
| U. S. 4s reg | 116 |
| U. S. 4s cou | 117 1-2 |
| American Tobacco Co. 4s | 111 1-4 |
| Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s | 95 3-4 |
| Baltimore & Ohio 4s | 100 1-2 |
| L. & N. Unified 4s | 99 1-2 |
| Seaboard Air Line 4s | 89 3-4 |
| Southern Railway 5s | 111 |
| U. S. Steel 2nd 5s | 107 |

Closing Stock Lists.

| | |
|---|---|
| Amalgamated Copper | 83 |
| Amr. Car & Foundry | 67 3-4 |
| Amr. Cotton Oil | 72 1-2 |
| Amr. Locomotive | 58 3-4 |
| Amr. Smelting & Ref | 98 3-8 |
| Amr. Sugar Refining | 129 |
| Atchison | 118 3-8 |
| Atchison pfd | 104 1-4 |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 134 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 116 1-4 |
| Baltimore & Ohio pfd | 93 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 80 7-8 |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 155 7-8 |
| Colorado & Southern | 52 |
| Erie | 36 1-4 |
| Erie 1st pfd | 52 1-4 |
| Erie 2nd pfd | 43 1-2 |
| Great Northern pfd | 152 3-8 |
| Kansas City Southern | 47 |
| Kansas City Southern pfd | 73 |
| L. & N. | 150 1-2 |
| Northern Pacific | 154 1-2 |
| Pennsylvania | 140 3-8 |
| People's Gas | 115 1-4 |
| Reading | 159 1-2 |
| Republic Steel pdf | 105 1-4 |
| Rock Island Co. | 38 7-8 |
| Rock Island Co. pfd | 75 1-2 |
| Southern Pacific | 125 7-8 |
| Southern Pacific pfd | —— |
| Southern Railway | 30 1-8 |
| Southern Railway pfd | 69 |
| Standard Oir Co. | —— |
| Union Pacific | 197 1-8 |
| Union Pacific pfd | 104 1-2 |
| U. S. Steel | 78 1-8 |
| U. S. Steel pfd | 126 |
| Va.-Car. Chemical | 47 1-4 |
| Westinghouse Electric | 85 |
| Western Union | 75 |

### NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 7.—Flour steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 1.04 nominal elevator. Options partly 3-4c net lower. Sept. 1.06 1-2; Dec. 1.02 3-8; May 1.04 1-4.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 old 78 1-2 elevator. Options net unchanged. Sept. 75 7-8; Dec. 67 1-4.

Oats—Spot firmer; mixed 40 1-2 nominal.

Lard and Pork—Firm.

Tallow and Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.67; confectioners A. 4.95.

Cotton Seed Oil—Active and stronger today, reaching new high levels for late months. The strength was due to bullish cotton news, the firmness of allied products and a continued vigorous outside speculative demand. Septemebr 5.83 to 5.91; October 5.81 to 5.85; December 5.79 to 5.83; May 6.01 to 6.02; prime crude 4.60; prime summer yellow 5.85 to 5.93; prime white 5.85 to 6.25; prime winter yellow 6.00 to 6.49.

Peanuts—Quiet; fancy handpicked 4 3-4 to 4 7-8 ;Virginia shelled 2 1-4 to 2 1-2.

Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 11 to 14c; grain by steam 1 1-2d.

Potatoes—Irregular; Long Island, per barrel 1.75 to 2.12; Jersey 1.40 to 2.10; Southern 1.50 to 1.75; Southern sweets per barrel 1.25 to 2.25; Jersey 2.00 to 2.75.

Cabbages—Dull; 1.50 to 2.50 per 100.

Butter—Firmer; creamery specials 30 1-2 to 31; extras 30; third to first 24 to 29; process, common to special 23 to 26 1-2.

Cheese—Firm; State, full cream, specials 15 1-2 to 16 1-2; do small colored or white, or large colored fancy 15 1-4; do common to good 11 1-4 to 14 3-4; skims, full to specials 4 3-4 to 12 3-4.

Eggs—Firmer; State, Pennsylvania and nearby selected fancy, henery white 32 to 35; fair to choice gathered, brown 25 to 29.

Coffee—Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 7 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 5-8 to 9. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 8 1-2 to 12 1-2. Futures closed steady at a net advance of 5 to 15 points.

### CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Wet weather in the West and Southwest had a tendency to offset liberal receipts of wheat in the Northwest and caused a fairly steady tone in the wheat market here today. At the close prices were a shade lower to 1-4c higher compared with Saturday's final figures. Corn and oats closed easy, and provisions steady.

Leading futures were as follows:

| | Open | High | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat. | | | |
| Sept | 98 7-8 | 99 3-8 | 98 7-8 |
| Dec. | 94 1-2 | 94 5-8 | 94 1-4 |
| May | 98 | 98 1-8 | 97 3-4 |
| Corn. | | | |
| Sept | 66 1-2 | 66 5-8 | 66 1-4 |
| Dec. | 57 1-2 | 57 5-8 | 57 3-8 |
| May | 59 | 59 1-4 | 59 |
| Oats. | | | |
| Sept | 38 1-4 | 38 3-8 | 38 1-4 |
| Dec. | 38 | 38 1-8 | 37 7-8 |
| May | 40 1-2 | 40 5-8 | 40 1-2 |
| Mess Pork, per bbl. | | | |
| Sept | 22 95 | 22 95 | 22 95 |
| Jan. | 17 90 | 17 92 1-2 | 17 82 1-2 |
| Lard, per 100 lbs. | | | |
| Sept | 12 30 | 12 32 1-2 | 12 32 1-2 |
| Oct. | 12 32 1-2 | 12 32 1-2 | 12 30 |
| Nov. | 11 92 1-2 | 11 95 | 11 87 1-2 |
| Jan. | 10 67 1-2 | 10 67 1-2 | 10 62 1-2 |
| Short Ribs, per 100 lbs. | | | |
| Sept | 11 80 | 11 80 | 11 77 1-2 |
| Oct. | 11 67 1-2 | 11 70 | 11 67 1-2 |
| Jan. | 9 47 1-2 | 9 47 1-2 | 9 42 1-2 |

### NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 7.—Turpentine easy. Rosin steady.

Charleston, Sept. 7.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

Savannah, Setp. 7.—Turpentine firm 55; sales 369; receipts 638; shipments 349. Rosin firm; sales 1,178; receipts 2,130; shipments 1,915; stock 155,302. Quote: B, 3.35; D, 3.40; E, 3.85; F, 4.10; G, 4.15; H, 4.25; I, 4.50; K, 5.30; M, 5.50; N, 5.75; WG, 6.00; to 6.25; WW, 6.50.

## MARINE

### ARRIVED.

Ger. str. Sophie Rickmers, 2,262 tons, Kohn, Savannah, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schr. John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Schr. James M. Hall, 319 tons, Bennett, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

### CLEARED.

Str. Carib, Packer, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

### BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 6 and 7.

C. C. Railroad—8 barrels tar.

W. & W., Railroad—7 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—2,689 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 21 barrels rosin, 22 barrels tar, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—460 bales cotton, 20 casks spirits turpentine, 16 barrels rosin, 52 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 23 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—9 casks spirits turpentine.

Schr. Missouri—3 casks spirits turpentine, 45 barrels rosin.

Total—3,156 bales cotton, 35 casks spirits turpentine, 92 barrels rosin, 82 barrels tar, 84 barrels crude turpentine.

### MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

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Putney Bridge (Br.), 2,147 tons, Robinson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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Gretevale, 2,009 tons, Clinton, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Waverly (Br.) 1,445 tons, Ramsey, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Sophie Rickmers (Ger.) 2,262 tons, Kohn, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Charles Noble, Simmons, 716 tons, Green, C. D. Maffitt.

Massachusetts, 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

Wm. Thomas Moore, 261 tons, Bell, C. D. Maffitt.

F. & T. Lupton, 797 tons, Longstreet, C. D. Maffitt.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Maffitt.

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| Grey Goose Rye | 2.50 | 7.20 | 2.70 | 5.25 |
| Satisfaction Rye | 3.00 | 8.70 | 3.20 | 6.25 |
| Old Henry Rye | 3.50 | 9.50 | 4.00 | 7.50 |
| Jefferson Club Rye | 3.50 | 9.50 | 4.00 | 7.50 |
| Greenwood Rye | 4.00 | 11.40 | 4.50 | 8.75 |
| Highspire Rye | 5.00 | 13.50 | 6.00 | 11.00 |
| N. C. Tuckahoe Corn | 2.00 | 5.75 | 2.20 | 4.20 |
| N. C. Swallow Corn | 2.50 | 7.20 | 2.70 | 5.25 |
| Virginia Corn Whiskey | 3.00 | 8.70 | 3.20 | 6.25 |
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| Old Burro Corn Whiskey | | | 4.00 | 7.75 |
| Swan Gin | 2.25 | 6.45 | 2.60 | 5.00 |
| Holland Gin | 3.00 | 8.70 | 3.20 | 6.25 |
| Apple Brandy | 2.50 | 7.20 | 2.70 | 5.25 |
| Very Old Apple Brandy | 3.50 | 10.00 | 3.70 | 7.25 |
| Peach Brandy | 3.50 | 10.00 | 3.70 | 7.25 |
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# BASE BALL

**National League.**

Pittsburg, Sept. 7.—Pittsburg and Chicago are now on even terms in the series started in Chicago Sunday, the locals winning today 6 to 2. The visitors used three of the best pitchers today in a vain effort to check the batting streak of the home team. Maddox was strong throughout. Only one Chicago player got past first base after the second inning.

Abstein's home run in the second was the subject of an argument in which all the Chicago players took part, Tinker and Chance finally being ordered from the field. The ball hit into the left field bleachers and bounded out on the field where Sheckard got it and threw to second, holding the runner there. Klem allowed Abstein to take the other two bases, the rule being that when a ball is knocked out of the field as was the case today the batter is entitled to a home run.

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| Chicago | 020 000 000 | 2 | 5 2 |

Maddox and Gibson; Reulbach, Brown, Higginbotham and Archer and Moran.

New York, Sept. 7.—Meikle tripled to left with two out, and all three bases occupied, in the third inning today, and thus won for the New Yorks their last game here with Boston 3 to 1.

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| Boston | 000 000 100 | 1 | 11 0 |
| New York | 003 000 00x | 3 | 9 0 |

Curtis and Graham; Raymond and Schlei.

Brooklyn, Sept. 7.—The Philadelphias won their get-away game of the season here today 7 to 2, by hitting Dent, the new Brooklyn pitcher hard in the first, second and ninth innings.

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| Philadelphia | 230 000 002 | 7 | 13 1 |
| Brooklyn | 000 020 000 | 2 | 9 1 |

Moren and Dooin; Dent and Bergen.

**American League.**

Philadelphia, Sept. 7.—New York defeated Philadelphia here today 8 to 6. Both teams hit the ball hard but New York drove out a number for extra bases.

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| Philadelphia | 010 300 020 | 6 | 12 3 |
| New York | 000 220 400 | 8 | 9 5 |

Morgan, Dygert and Livingstone; Doyle and Sweeney.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Boston's pitchers were wild and ineffective today while Gray had but two bad innings, Washington winning in consequence 11 to 6. The throwing of Street in nipping base runners was the feature of the game.

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| Washington | 030 301 22x | 11 | 11 3 |
| Boston | 000 402 000 | 6 | 7 4 |

Gray and Street; Karger, Matthews, Trellanes and Carrigan.

Detroit, Sept. 7.—In a free hitting game Detroit beat Cleveland today. Two home runs, each with a man on bases, counted the four Cleveland runs. After making the score a tie. Detroit twice bunched a double and two singles, each time for two runs and got a safe lead.

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| Detroit | 010 122 00x | 6 | 11 0 |
| Cleveland | 200 000 200 | 4 | 12 3 |

Summers and Schmidt; Joss and Clarke.

**Southern League.**

At Montgomery 5; Little Rock 1.
At Birmingham 7; New Orleans 3.
At Nashville 1; Memphis 0.
At Atlanta 5; Mobile 4.

**South Atlantic League.**

At Augusta 3; Savannah 0.
At Knoxville-Macon, rain.
At Jacksonville 7; Columbia 4.
At Chattanooga 3; Columbus 11.

**Virginia League.**

At Roanoke 5; Lynchburg 2.
2nd: Roanoke 3; Lynchburg 0.
At Portsmouth 3; Norfolk 3. (9 innings, rain.)
At Richmond-Danville, rain.

## DECISION FOR WETS AT BRISTOL.

**Court Finds That Local Option Election Was Not Illegal.**
**(By Wire to the Morning Star.)**

Bristol, Va., Sept. 7.—A decision handed down today by Judge Kelley, of the corporation court, in the local option case, is considered as tantamount to a declaration of the legality and regularity of the election held here on July 8, in which the saloon element won by a majority of 32 votes.

The prohibitionists in contending the election alleged that more than 50 men living on the Tennessee side of the city of Bristol cast votes in the election. The court held that a person once acquiring citizenship in Bristol, Va., may go wherever he likes and return and participate in any election. The taking of testimony in the contest continues.

## POSTMASTER ARRESTED

**Former Official at Mt. Airy, Charged With Padding Vouchers.**
**(By Wire to the Morning Star.)**

Dobson, N. C., Sept. 7.—Eugene C. Kapp, lately postmaster at Mount Airy, N. C., was arrested at that place yesterday charged with violating the postal laws and was tried here today before United States Commissioner Jackson. After a brief hearing the case was continued to September 16th at the defendant's request. The charges against Mr. Kapp are that while he was postmaster at Mount Airy, he induced certain employes of the office there to sign pay vouchers in blank, afterwards filling out the vouchers to suit himself, charging the government with a larger amount than had actually been paid out for expenses.

—Raeford Facts and Figures: Mr. W. N. Campbell is the champion melon grower of this section. He cut one Saturday for a crowd of us to eat which weighed 81 pounds. He has had good success growing melons, corn and cotton this year. Hurrah for Campbell! He gave the editor a 62 1-2 pound melon last Saturday.

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# COOK AND PEARY

(Continued From First Page.)

graphical Society at Washington saying:

"Have won at least. The Pole is ours."

In a message to Director Mumpus of the American Museum of Natural History in New York, he announced that he is bringing home a valuable collection for the institution.

Thousands of congratulatory messages have been sent in return to the explorer, two of the most notable of which are from Lieutenant Shackleton, the English Antarctic explorer, and Major Leonard Darwin, president The National Geographical Society The National Feographical Society called a meeting directly after receiving Peary's message today and quickly telegraphed a reply of hearty praise. The New York Zoological Society sent its echo of the world wide praise through its president in this city, while hundreds of less important messages went northward to meet the returning traveler.

In Capenhagen tonight Dr. Cook was shown a statement credited to Peary, that he (Peary) was the first discoverer of the Pole. Declining to enter into a controversy the Brooklyn physician briefly dismissed the subject.

The tooting of whistles of passing craft paid tribute to the explorer's wife on her island home today while his "snow baby" daughter acknowledged them by dipping an American flag.

**Controversy Grows Warm.**

Copenhagen, Sept. 7.—One of the most remarkable results of Commander Peary's rivalry with Dr. Cook for the discovery of the Pole is that Dr. Cook's profits from the enterprise are likely to be largely increased. He received today offers for his books and lectures at twice the figures previously tendered. One American of the highest standing cabled terms almost startling, and it is believed, far beyond any sum hitherto paid for such work. Dr. Cook is likely to accept this offer.

The controversy is beginning to grow warmer here. Commander Peary's statement is unanimously accepted as true, but there is a very large following faithful to Dr. Cook. His lecture before the Georgraphical Society tonight, however, added little to the information he had already given out with reference to his expedition and he repeated the declaration of his intention to withhold details until the publication of his book.

The King and Queen, Prince and Princess George or Greece and many of the members of the royal family, together with a large gathering of the most prominent people in Copenhagen, this afternoon witnessed the presentation to Dr. Cook of gold medal by the Crown Prince, and listened to the explorers' lecture afterwards. Standing in front of an immense map of the Arctic regions, which was surmounted by the Stars and Stripes, Dr. Cook outlined his progress to the North Pole. Introducing the explorer, the Crown Prince said that his reception in Greenland and at Copenhagen showed the way the Danish appreciated his wonderful exploit. The Prince then begged the honor of presenting to him the medal of the Geographical Society.

"It is too early," said the explorer, "to give the general results of the expedition. Time is required to digest the work of Polar efforts. You have not allowing time in Copenhagen. This northward dash has occupied the minds of men for more than 300 years. Slowly and surely the ladder of latitudes has been climbed with various degrees of success. Experience was gained and each expedition profited by the misfortunes of its predecessors. The failure of one expedition led to the success of subsequent efforts."

The explorer cleared up the doubts about the lowest temperature recorded, which he reiterated was 83 degrees below zero fahrenheit. He said he had no doubt that the observations made would prove that he had been on and around the 90th degree.

"If I have been within a circle, a kilometer in diameter, where the Pole is situated," exclaimed the explorer, "I am satisfied that that is quite sufficient for practical purposes. I will say no more until my book is published."

When shown the dispatch which said that Commander Peary claimed to be the first man to reach the North Pole, Dr. Cook said:

'Commander Peary, of course, can say whatever he wishes, I am not accustomed to indulge in controversies. All I have to say about Commander Peary is that if he says he reached the North Pole I believe he reached the North Pole."

## CONDEMNED TO BE HANGED

**More Than 6,000 Names to Petition For His Respite.**
**(By Wire to The Morning Star.)**

LeGrange, Ga., Sept. 7.—Dr. J. M. Elliott, condemned to be hanged on September 13th, was today granted a respite until October 4 by Governor Brown. Never in the criminal court history of this county has there been such numerously signed petitions presented in behalf of a man condemned to die for murder. At Macon where he lived for some time influential citizens are active in the man's behalf, and at Chattanooga, Elliott's boyhood home, a petition bearing more than 6,000 signatures has been presented.

Elliott killed G. L. Rivers, a hotel man of this place.

**Night on Bald Mountain.**

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Seven members of the First Aid to Injured Class of the Y. M. C. A., who stood successful examinations were last night awarded their certificates by Dr. Joseph Akerman, the instructor, and president of the Association. The successful members were Messrs. John Clowe, Owen Filyaw, W. W. Miller, Jack LeMoyne, W. H. Burkheimer, James Gilbert, Robert Coleman and J. W. Rowan.

The Membership Committee of the Association is carefully arranging for the annual dinner, which will be given under the auspices of this committee at Lumina tomorrow night. Much interest is being taken in this annual event and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of members. The secretary requests that all who received invitations to notify him by noon Thursday if they intend going.

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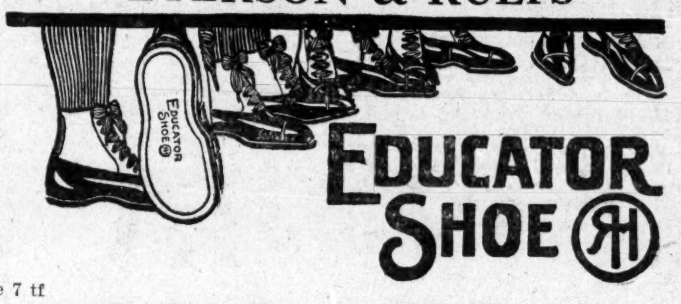


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